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Competition Directory 2008/2009

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PRIMARY WOOL

Sep 2008 – Aug 2009

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Fees are based on both shearing and woolhandling events at \$3.00 per competitor with a minimum fee of \$40.00 (GST excl).

The levy provides funds for the promotion of the sport and uniforms for national teams.

THE DIRECTORY

This publication is annually compiled by SSNZ.

SSNZ was formed in 1973 to promote, encourage and co-ordinate the activities of societies and or committees involved with the running of shearing and woolhandling competitions.

In producing this Directory, SSNZ gratefully acknowledge the hundreds of judges, woolgrowers, competitors and administrators who volunteer their time and skills to promote quality and efficiency in the woolharvesting and sheep meat sectors.

COMPETITION RESULTS

SSNZ Publicity Officer, Doug Laing

Is available to assist with publicity needs leading up to and after your competition, particularly in getting results to appropriate newspapers.

Shows catering for TAB sports betting must have all open entries in 14 days prior to the competition.

All competitions listed will receive an Affiliation and Levy remittance form and a results form prior the competition.

The remittance forms should be filled out and a cheque attached before returning to the SSNZ secretary.

The results form should be completed and faxed to Doug Laing by the Saturday evening or Sunday morning following the competition. Alternatively a phone call or email is great.

Remember fresh news is usable, anything older that 48 hours has almost lost its appeal!

Doug Laing

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NORTH AREA DELEGATES

Neil Sidwell

North

Northern Wairoa	Cooper Wilson
Kumeu Summer	Kaikohe
Shears	Nth Shears Royal
Raglan Western	Easter
Shears	Nthn Kaipara
Counties Shears	Nthn Hokianga

Ian Buchanan

West

Aria	NZ Shearing Champs
Ohura	Stratford
Taranaki Shears	Taumaranui
Waitomo Caves	

Hugh McCarroll ***East***

Gt Raihania	Poverty Bay A&P
Shears	Te Puke Shears
Tauranga A&P	Agrodome Rotorua
Wairoa A&P	

Philip Morrison ***South***

Apiti Shears	Dannevirke A&P
Horowhenua A&P	Golden Shears
Rangitikei Shears	Feilding NI Champs
Dannevirke Wool	Pahiatua Shears
Champs	Taihape A&P
Waimarino Shears	Central Hawkes Bay
Pre Shears	Manawatu A&P
Woolhandling	

SOUTH AREA DELEGATES

John Harwood *Region 1*

Nelson	Flaxbourne
Murchison	Marlborough
Reefton	Golden Bay
Tapawera	

Kelvyn Scott *Region 2*

Ellesmere	Kaikoura A&P
Rangiora	Amuri A&P
Canterbury Shears	Kowai-Sefton
Banks Peninsular	Cheviot A&P

John Hough *Region 3*

Waitaki/McKenzie	Rakaia
Waimate Shears	Pleasant Point
Mayfield	Ashburton A&P
Methven	North Otago A&P

Michael Hogan *Region 4*

Alexandra	Otago
West Otago	Lumsden
Southland	Gore Shears

SOUTH ISLAND COMMITTEE

Meetings are held in each region annually to elect delegates to the South Island Annual Meeting. Each region has two competition delegates, plus one elected National delegate. One machine and one blade shearers delegate and one woolhandling delegate from each region. Region delegates will elect the shearers rep and woolhandling rep to attend National meeting.

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<i>Secretary:</i>	Gavin Rowland	03 322-7614
<i>Operator:</i>	John Lawton	03 208-0352
		027 223-0815

NORTH ISLAND COMMITTEE

Each affiliated competition is entitled to two voting delegates to attend and vote at the NI annual meeting. Area delegates are then elected to form the North Island committee, from which six National delegates are elected. No proxy votes are allowed.

Chairman: Hugh McCarroll, 19 Ninth Ave, Tauranga 3110
Ph: 07 571-0522 Fax: 07 571-0521

Vice-chairman: Philip Morrison, Boundary Rd, Pahiatua
Ph: 06 376-8384

Secretary: June Gaskill, 140 Gaskill Rd East, RD 1, Opo-
tiki

Ph: 07 315-8116

Electronic Scoring Committee:

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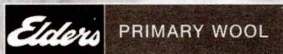
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SOUTH ISLAND

SHEARING EXAMINERS

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- REFEREES ARE UNDERLINED
- *DENOTES ALSO A WOOLHANDLING JUDGE

NORTH 1

Shearing

<u>NEIL</u>		Rex	
<u>SIDWELL</u>	09 439-2328	Salisbury	09 439-8327
Jeff Wood	09 439-2242	John Cotching	09 406-8879
*Colin Jay	09 405-1753	Lance Waddell	09 266-2333
A Smith	09 439-2201	Ian Laing	09 236-3796
Don Petrie	09 433-7126	Kevin Boyd	09 439-4771
Dianne Bramley	09 4339666		

Woolhandling

Colin Jay	09 405-1752	Olive Guy	09 405-0342
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Commentator

Phil O'Shaunessy	09 437-2769	027 270-2075
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EAST 1

Shearing

<u>HUGH</u> <u>McCARROLL</u>	07 571-0522	<u>Robert</u> <u>Deverall</u>	07 544-0909
<u>Kelly McCartie</u>	07 322-9420	Ash Nicholson	07 868-1144
<u>John Magee</u>	07 573-7640	David Hodge	07 322-2067
<u>Percy Barrett</u>	07 578-1878	Carol Hodge	07 322-2067
<u>Peter McCabe</u>	07 543-2443	Ian Massey	07 863-5664
<u>John Fagan</u>	07 863-4649	Ian Bellis	

Woolhandling

Tracey Ballis 06 376-7220

EAST 2

Shearing

<u>BILL</u> <u>GASKILL</u>	07 315-8116	<u>Dave</u> <u>Stansbury</u>	07 315-7941
<u>Robin Cooper</u>	07 315-4803	<u>Craig O'Brien</u>	07 862-2775
<u>Peter Vujcich</u>	06 876-7772	Eugene King	06 838-6756
Ronnie King	06 863-7055	Bart Hadfield	06 838-6732
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Woolhandling

B Wharehinga	06 862-4829	Fred Kerekere	06 868-1037
Alisa Fleming	06 862-3866	Willie Power	06 838-6071

WEST 1

Shearing

KEN

BALLANTYNE 07 877-7570

Ian

Buchanan 07 878-3126

Doug Oliver 07 877-8313 Lyn Ataera 07 894-8858

Neil Fagan 07 878-5139 Mike Barnett 07 877-7534

Dean Te Huia 07 878-7666 David Fagan 07 878-7321

Paul Grainger 07 878-6458

Woolhandling

PETER **LANGE**

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WEST 2

Woolhandling

MYLES

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George Mackey 06 756-5898

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Shearing

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Sanson Knight

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SOUTH 1

Woolhandling

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<u>NUNN</u>		Gail Haitana	027 437-4145
<u>Grant Roberts</u>	06 329-4855	Ian Hopkirk	06 353-2965
<u>Libby Alabaster</u>	06 388-0824	David Long	06 357-1321

SOUTH 2

Shearing

<u>PHILIP</u>		<u>Graham</u>	
<u>MORRISON</u>	06 376-8384	<u>McNae</u>	06 372-2881
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Sam Saunders	06 372-7679	Leogreen	06 374-6418
Gordon Duxfield	06 376-5467	Ken	
		McPherson	06 372-4873
Missi Tutavaha	06 372-2490		
Ross			
Mitchinson	06 374-7126		

Woolhandling

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<u>MULLINS</u>	021 365-446	McPherson	06 377-4630
<u>MYLES</u>		Len	
<u>OLDERSHAW</u>	06 378-8298	Willoughby	06 835-0794
Oti Mason	027 3532651	Murray Tomlin	06 378-8571

SOUTH 2

Woolhandling—cont

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NELSON

Shearing

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Baden Barker	03 522-4370	Joanne Mead	03 522-4085
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Commentator

Ron Fenemor 03 522-4302

Woolhandling

B Green 03 541-8794

WESTLAND

Shearing

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MARLBOROUGH

Shearing

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Malcolm Morton	03 319-5256	Ian Stuart	03 572-8068
Glenda Jones	03 573-4884		

NTH CANTERBURY / CANTERBURY

Shearing

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Noel Handley	03 313-3009	Peter Black	03 314-4091
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*Dave Carr	03 314-9117	Craig Dalzell	03 312-4364
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Stirling McCulloch	03 312-4066	Richard Sampey	03 314-8224
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Jason Win	0274499247		
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Woolhandling

<u>DAVE CARR</u>	03 314-9117	Kerri Capill	03 327-3377
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Huia Whyte-Puna	03 339-4472	Peter McCusker	03 337-2891
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Shearing

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McLaren 03 303-7283 Roberston 03 308-8894

John Walsh 03 614-7134 Jim S Gibson 03 689-2725

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Rocky Bull 03 308-8726 James Gibson 03 689-3832

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Woolhandling

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Shearing

BARRY Ken
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Steve Vickers 03 465-1258 Greg Stuart 03 438-9440

Colin Gibson 03 434-9479 Alister Emslie 03 436-0515

Ross Nimmo 03 434-9508 Phil O'Reilly 03 465-1476

Neil Gard 03 432-4118 Bruce Nowell 03 436-0589

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NORTH OTAGO—cont

Woolhandling

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Gerald McCarthy	03 437-0429		

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Shearing

HAROLD **GLOAG**

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Phillip Parker	03 446-8375	Russell Bryant	03 448-8227
Murray Jack	027 4862361	Fred Parker	03 446-8789

Woolhandling

GRAEME **BELL**

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Janet Smith	03 447-3913	Grant Cousins	03 448-9252
Barbara Newton	03 455-8807	Jeff McKenzie	03 204-2056
Ron Davis	03 418-0824		

SOUTH OTAGO / WEST OTAGO

Shearing

BRUCE

WALKER

027492-7093 *Ron Davis 03 418-0824

*Jeff McKenzie 03 204-2056 Lindsay Eason 03 415-8268

Bill Potae 03 417-7246 Neville Leslie 03 418-0130

Jock Thompson 03 489-8183 Robbie Tai 03 417-7369

Ken Payne 03 418-3011 Tony Michelle 03 417-4886

Peter Nichol 03 417-7900 Grant 03 415-8377
Bradfield

Woolhandling

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Roxanne
Roxburgh 03 418-3647 Jeff McKenzie 03 294-2056

John Stewart 03 417-7183 Anita Gare 03 415-8775

Fiona Walker 03 415-8417

SOUTHLAND

Shearing

MICHAEL

HOGAN

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JJ (Jeff)

Crengle

03 239-5865

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McCallum 03 221-7138 Murray
McGrannachan 03 236-7747

John Lawton 03 208-0352 Matt Mainland 03 239-5706

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Woolhandling

Raelene

McConachie 03 236-4007 Des Pringle 03 203-7959

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Don Morrison 03 359-3339 Colin Gibson 03 434-9479

John Fagan 07 863-4649 John Hough 03 302-7207

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Tony Fox 03 431-7895 Tony Dodds 03 685-5825

Peter Corder 03 685-8457 Dave Carr 03 314-9117

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1. A prospective judge must be approved by a Shearing or Woolhandling Examiner. An official badge will be issued when the examiner is satisfied that the judge has served an adequate probationary period.
2. To remain on the list a judge must judge at one competition annually and endeavor to attend a judge's day annually.
3. All judges must be certified, competent to judge all relevant skills and be given the opportunity to judge a trial sheep/pen/fleece before the competition commences.
4. Judges must report to competitions 30 minutes before the commencement of the first event.
5. Judges must be tidily dressed and wear their official badge.
6. Judges will refrain from alcohol until their judging duties for the day are completed.
7. Judges are not permitted to smoke while carrying out their judging duties.
8. Judges must be conversant with all rules in the current competition directory.
9. Judges must rotate so that all competitors receive equal scrutiny.
10. Judges will refrain from walking behind the down tube or returning back along the shearing board while shearers are competing.
11. Referees to be available on board before each heat starts and the referees should be easily identifiable.
12. Written complaints regarding the performance of a judge will be handled by the local examiner, in consultation with SSNZ executive. If they all agree the judge has not given reasonable satisfaction the judge will be informed and be given the right to appeal to SSNZ. The national committee will make the final decision as to whether the judge should be removed from or remain on the list.

13. Advice of changes of address or phone numbers should be given to the examiner and the secretary of SSNZ,
Gail Carr, 329 Purchas Rd, RD 2, Amberley

COMPETITION RULES:

1. A referee will be appointed for each competition i.e. Shearing, woolhandling or pressing.
2. A judge has the right to stop any competitor whose work or conduct on the board is detrimental to the image of competition shearing, woolhandling or pressing.
3. It is to be at the discretion of the judge, if blood from a competitor's wound is visible, to have the right to stop that competitor.
4. Approved Hand Held Counters may be used at contests.
5. Competitors have the right to reject any substandard sheep/ fleece before shearing commences, provided the referee agrees.
 - a. For National Titles, semi finals must be held in all events where the total number of heat entries equals or exceeds four times the number of stands available. Where the heat entries equal or exceeds 8 times the number of stands used, a quarter final will be held, e.g. at a 4 stand competition, 16 or more competitors warrant a semi-final, 32 competitors warrant a quarter final. This is recommended for all competitions.
6. Heats and stands will be drawn prior to the start of the events. Finalists shall draw for stands as they take the board.
7. No unauthorised persons are permitted in the catching pen and no officials are permitted to assist a competitor in any way except where safety is concerned.
8. Late entries may be accepted at up to a surcharge of 50%.
9. Competitors in competitions must be suitably attired and this will include footwear (i.e. jandals or open sandals and caps or hats are prohibited). The referee will administer this ruling.

10. Any competitor who is not present for the presentation of prizes will not receive the prize unless reasonable grounds for being absent are represented to the Organising Committee before the prize giving.
11. Competitors must be suitably attired for prize giving.
12. Competitors may judge at a contest where they are competing, but not in the class in which they are competing.
13. Competitor's points for any titles such as the South Island Shearer of the year or any circuit events where points are accumulated will not be taken from societies not affiliated to Shearing Sports NZ Inc.
14. Any disputes will be taken to a disputes committee of which the referees shall be Chairman. A written protest must be lodged within 15 minutes of posting the results for an event. Any unresolved dispute must be forwarded in writing, first to the committee concerned and finally, if necessary to
15. In any tie the highest quality points wins.
16. All contests must be equipped with needle, thread and antiseptic.
17. Competitors competing in more than one class at a competition can only progress through semi-finals or finals in one division of their choice.
18. One spare stopwatch and timekeeper will be available to time any stop pages and if necessary these will be deducted from the competitor's total time.
19. The use of drugs, drips or oxygen are banned in all competitions.
20. At all competitions random drug tests may be required and if proved positive the competitor shall pay all costs.
21. All competitors compete at their own risk.
22. Any inappropriate action by a competitor that brings competition into disrepute may result in a disciplinary action by the contest's disputes committee or if necessary by SSNZ Inc. Disciplinary action may include suspension from future events for up to 30 competition days.

23. Shearers will be allowed two loaded handpieces. No time will be allowed for stoppages caused by gear, handpieces or sheep getting away from the shearer on the board. A time allowance or re-run may be considered at the referees/committees decision if any stoppage is caused through another competitors sheep escaping or a fault occurring with the machine or down tube. (Exception—3 handpieces permitted for 3 or more breeds)
24. Each Shearer must:
- Start and stop his/her own machine
 - Open pen door and collect his/her own sheep which shall be in a standing position, lifting assistance can not be given until the shearer has made contact with the sheep.
 - Put each sheep out the porthole.
25. Preparation of competition sheep must be kept to a uniform standard to ensure the safety of teats and vulva.
26. Competitors may not present their own sheep for out side judges, but may be required to present sheep from other heats or competitors and will be disqualified from the competition for failing to do so.
27. **Quality Benchmark: A quality benchmark applies and will be over 15 on the board and;**
- Over 15 for Crossbred/Strong Wool sheep in the pen**
 - Over 25 for Merino/Fine wool sheep in the pen**
 - Quality Benchmark maybe extended at the discretion of the Disputes Committee.**
- Competitors with quality points who exceed the benchmark will be placed in ascending order BELOW those competitors who do not exceed the benchmark (NOVICE EXCLUDED)**
- Competitors who exceed the benchmark can still receive prize money / product.**



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28. Each shearer will have a separate timekeeper with a stopwatch or other suitable timing device and time will be taken from "GO" until the machine is switched off after completing final sheep. Where electronic timing is being used, it is the shearer's responsibility to stop their time. Shearer's must wait on the board with one hand on the closed door to wait for "GO".
29. Woolhandlers are not permitted on the shearing board.
30. No oddment piles are allowed on the board.
31. All woolhandling finals must use competent resident shearer's (also for heats when possible) who must complete the event and stay on the assigned stand.
32. In full wool competitions, there will no skirting of first pieces on the board.
33. **Where the outside referee is called upon in International Test and NZ Team selection, the final decision will be made in consultation with the Chief Referee.**

SHEARING PENALTIES

1. One penalty stroke for not throwing the belly clear.
2. One penalty stroke for a cleared belly where it interferes with another competitor.
3. Up to 2 strokes for obvious belly or brisket wool not removed, including side fringes.
4.
 - a) One penalty stroke for not breaking the neck wool
 - b) One penalty stroke for deliberately breaking of the fleece on the first hind leg.
5. Blade Shearing: Cutting out the neck will be penalised by 3 strokes.
6. Up to four penalty strokes per leg for failing to remove socks (referees discretion).
7. Skin cuts where the flesh is exposed or broken will incur a minimum of 5 strokes.

SHEARING PENALTIEScontinued

8. A competitor is automatically penalized by the addition of 5 whole points per offence added to their normal penalties on which they:
- a. Cut a teat and impair the breeding ability of the ewe
 - b. Cuts and seriously damages the pizzle on a wether
 - c. Cut a hamstring
 - d. Cuts any sheep to the extent that it requires surgical attention

Five penalty strokes multiplied by the number of sheep shorn. (referee may require a minor cut to be stitched without imposing the above penalty).

9. Five whole points will be imposed by the referee after consultation with the judge for rough handling of the sheep per offence.
10. **Five whole penalty points per offence for plucking sheep before and after time (*to be applied to shearer and pen assistant*).**
11. **Five penalty strokes per offence for allowing a shorn or partly shorn sheep to escape. The shearer must make a genuine effort to pen the sheep, does not apply if sheep is properly penned and returns to the board.**

SHEARING POINTS CALCULATION

Time Points: One penalty for each 20 seconds, multiply minutes by 3, divide seconds by 20

Board Penalties: Divide judges strokes by sheep shorn

Pen: Divide averaged judges strokes by sheep shorn

Results: Add time penalty to board and pen penalties to get total. Least Penalties wins.

WOOLHANDLING CONTESTS

Note:

Where possible a standard board height from stage to floor of approximately 760 mm should be used. The board width should be a minimum of 1600 mm.

At the completion of shearing in all woolhandling events, down tubes are to be left hanging in their natural position.

WOOLHANDLING—WOOL LENGTH

Full Wool	10 months minimum
2nd Shear	4 months minimum
	8 months maximum

WOOLHANDLING—OBJECTIVE JUDGING RULES

Credit Card (CC)	= 1 penalty point
A4 (paper) Fleece Throw	= 1 penalty point
Grid for 'Process judging' (Dimensions 10cm x 15cm)	
Oddment Grid	= 3 penalty points
Fleece Grid	= 4 penalty points

Note: *Weighing of oddments and fleece may be used in addition to existing methods.*

Fixed Penalty	FP
Discretionary Penalty	DP with range of points

BOARD

Start with a clean work area	CC
Clear belly & frib from contaminating other wool	CC
Clear sox, short and discoloured wool in and around crutch area	CC
Remove eye clip wool	CC

BOARD—cont:

Lox clear of fleece wool	CC
Hind sox removed from fleece	CC
Clear board of wool before next sheep is out	CC
No skirting of first pieces on the board	5 per offence

Fixed Penalties

No attempt to clear crutch	10
Use of fleece to clear locks off board	10
*Shearer hinderance per offence	05
*Blatant shearer assistance	05
No wh competitors on shearing board	05

TABLE

Full wool must be thrown on the table	
Waiting fleeces to be PLACED on a clean floor	DP 5/10
Throw	A4
Removal of second cuts	CC
Fleeces must be <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rolled from britch to neck • Be tidy and compact • Placed in an orderly manner 	DP 5/10
Clear wool from table top prior to next fleece thrown	CC

CLEAN UP

All oddments to be placed in containers provided	FP 5
End result to be a clean work area	CC
No interference with wool after time	FP 10/DQ

GENERAL

All wools to be kept within competitors' space (Judge to retrieve if necessary)	DP 5/10
Judging area restricted to approved personal only	FP 5

PROCESS (outside) Judging

Black Wool, Urine/Pizzle stain, Skin/Dags	5 x size
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BLENDING RULE

That lambs wool and second shear wools are to be well-blended fleece into fleece. Blending will be judged once at the end prior to the competitor signaling time. A maximum of 20 points for no blend.

WOOLHANDLING TIME POINTS

Time penalties will be calculated at the rate of 5 seconds per point to the following standard times. The standard times will be set at the referees/committees discretion.

Merino Wool:

- 1 Shearer within the range of 3 to 3.30 minutes
- 2 Shearer's up to 25% more of time set

Mid Micron and Crossbred Full Wool

- 1 Shearer within the range of 2 to 2.30 minutes
- 2 Shearer's up to 25% more of time set

2nd Shear and Lambs

- Between the range of 40 seconds to 1 minute

Competitors exceeding the standard time limit will be penalised at the rate of 1 point per second thereafter.

Teams Event:

A team will be made up of two shearers and two woolhandlers. Each team will shear and handle the wool from a minimum of six sheep

Shearers are not allowed to assist woolhandlers with woolhandling. Woolhandlers can assist each other on the board or table when time permits.

Shearers may shear an uneven number of sheep.

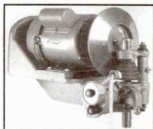
TEAM POINTS

The shearers' points shall be left as actual penalty points and not divided by the number of sheep shorn.

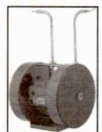
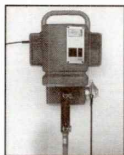
The woolhandler's board, oddments and fleece points will be added together and then divided by 2.5.

One time will be taken for each team—from "GO" to the Woolhandler raising the broom at the rate of 10 secs/point.

NOTE: There will be occasions where the level of fault present in the wool means the woolhandler's points will be too high in relation to the shearers and time points. The woolhandling referee has the right to adjust the dividing factor on the woolhandler's points to a figure higher than 2.5. This figure should rarely exceed 4.0.



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WOOL PRESSING COMPETITIONS

Competitors will be judged on their wool pressing skills in the following categories.

1. **Setting up the Press:**

- Inserting pins

- Checking wool pack for loose fibre

- Fitting wool pack into press

- Team work

- Use of safety catches (door, top box, winch and press handle).

2. **Loading press with wool**

- Tramping technique

- Loading wool into press, lifting technique, efficiency and tidiness

- Bales should be tramped to ensure bottom box is heavier than top box

- Placing lid into position on top box (lid must not be above walls of top box)

3. **Pressing bale (pulling the loaded press down)**

- Lifting and lowering top box into position, use of safety catches and lifting technique

- Removal of pins from top box

- Fitting pull down bars to lid and connecting ropes to capstan

- Pressing technique while pulling the press down

- Inserting side pinning assemblies. Handle taken off when pressing bale

- Releasing the press and removing the lid, technique and safety

- Removing ropes from capstan.

4. Capping off the bale

- Amount of wool exposed above pins
- Folding flaps into position, removal and replacement of pack holders
- Inserting bale clips, top and bottom flaps
- Flaps must overlap 100mm
- Position and spacing of bale clips
- Correct use of bale hook
- Removing side pinners, storing handle
- Removing bale from press
 - opening door
 - lifting and bale handling technique
 - closing press door, refitting safety catch

5. Completed bale

- Overall tidiness
- Amount of wool exposed from top or corners of bale
- Top corners of flaps should fit snugly over bottom flaps
- Bottom corners should be equally firm
- Bale should stand square on floor

6. Farm brand and bale description

- Competitors must show where the farm brand, bale number and wool description should be placed
- Describe the wool category, i.e fleece, second shear, 1st lambs etc as well as know the standard industry description (FLC, 2/S, 1ST LBS). (The bale description should be written on the judges score sheet by the competitors).

7. Final clean up and tidiness

- The floor area around the press and wool bins must be clean and tidy
- Press pins should be relocated into bottom of top box
- Press ropes should be folded/coiled neatly on the floor beside pull down bars
- Pack holders should be replaced in position

8. Bale Weight

Competitors will be advised the target bale weight by supervising judge

Competitors are not allowed to see bale weights until heats are completed. Penalties will be 1 point for each kg plus or minus 15kg from target weight, and 2 points for weights over 15kg from target weight.

9. Time Points

Time points will be calculated at one point every 10 seconds

10. Personal Safety

Judges will penalise careless workmanship and rough use of equipment and facilities in the interests of safety.

11. Penalties

Procedure	10
Tidiness	10
Safety	20

For Information contact:

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CIRCUIT EVENTS

PGG WRIGHTSON NATIONAL SHEARING CIRCUIT

This title is competed for at Alexandra (compulsory), Waimate, Christchurch, Raglan, Pahiatua and Golden Shears. Points are scaled from 12 points out i.e. 1st receives 12 points, 2nd 11 points etc. and 12th onwards all receive 1 point. Points are taken from heat placings. Prize money will be presented for all 12 semi finalists. Points are zeroed before the semi final and final. Total prize money is \$5200. The winner to receive a trip to Australia as a member of the NZ Team.

EF of \$25

to be paid in Alexandra prior to competing in Open Heats.

Contact: Pip Dalglish 06 378-8008

Results and points will be posted at www.goldenshears.co.nz

SOUTH ISLAND SHEARER OF THE YEAR

Shearers must shear at six contests in the South Island with the year starting at Gore 2008 and ends at Balclutha 2009.

EF of \$40

Contact: Richard Peirce 0274 207-180 or
Gail Carr 03 314-9117

NORTH ISLAND SHEARER OF THE YEAR

- Only 24 entries will be accepted with a fully paid entry fee.
- Reserve entries may be acknowledged on an entry fee returned basis should the reserve not compete.
- Entrants must compete at any 6 North Island shows listed in the directory.
- Closing date 17 MARCH
- The first three competitors in the final will represent the North Island team at NZ Shears, Te Kuiti and Gore in the Inter Island Challenge.

EF of \$30

Contact: The Secretary, NZ Shearing Champs
PO Box 153, Te Kuiti

NEW ZEALAND SHEARS CIRCUIT

Shearers points will be taken from the heats of the following competitions:

PLEASANT POINT	Pleasant Point
ASHBURTON	Ashburton
SOUTHLAND	Invercargill
NZ FULL WOOL SHEARS	Lumsden
OTAGO SHEARS	Balclutha
SOUTHERN SHEARS	Gore
GREAT RAIHANIA	Hastings
AGRODOME	Rotorua
RANGITIKEI	Marton
TAUMARUNUI	Taumarunui
KUMEU	Kumeu
TARANAKI SHEARS	Stratford

Points from the five best shows are totalled to find the top twelve shearers to compete in semi finals and finals at NZ Shears in Te Kuiti on mixed breed sheep. Points will be zeroed for both the semi and final events. Points are scaled from 12 points out i.e. 1st receives 12 points, 2nd 11points etc. and 12th 1 point. In the case of a tie, a count back on overall best placings of total number of shows entered will be the decider.

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EF of \$30 closes 31 January, entries to the Secretary NZ Shears

Contact: *The Secretary, NZ Shears, PO Box 153, Te Kuiti.
SI entries to Gail Carr Ph: 03 314-9117*

CANTERBURY CIRCUIT: *From Rangitata River to Conway River.*

Competitors to put forward the best five (5) shows from the following:

Christchurch	Peninsula	Amuri	Kowai Sefton
Methven	Oxford	Rangiora	Ellesmere
Ashburton	Mayfield		

Finals will be held at Christchurch

Contact: *Gavin Rowland PO Box 7327, Sydenham. Chch
Ph: 03 322-7614 or Cell: 027 432-5450*

SOUTHERN SENIOR CIRCUIT

Venues encompass

West Otago

Balclutha

Invercargill

Gore

Lumsden

The best set of three points taken from the heats will be totalled to find the top twelve shearers to contest a semi final, then down to six for the final on Saturday at the Gore Southern Shears.

TOP OF THE SOUTH CIRCUIT

Intermediate, senior and open competitors to submit their 4 lowest points from the following 8 shows:

Nelson

Golden Bay

Reefton

Murchison

Kaikoura

Marlborough

Flaxbourne

Tapawera

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TPM

Sen \$ 650

1st \$250

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Int \$ 375

1st \$150

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Contact: Roger Simpson, Matariki, RD 2. Wakefield.
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MARK MARSHALL MEMORIAL BLADE CIRCUIT

The best set of points from the heats of the following:

Waitaki/McKenzie

Ashburton

Oxford

Waimate

Christchurch

Rangiora

Reefton

SOUTH ISLAND WOOLHANDLER OF THE YEAR

For competitors to be eligible for the finals at Balclutha, they must have competed in at least five of the following eight competitions:

Gore 08	Christchurch 08
Waitaki/McKenzie 08	Lumsden 09
Alexandra 08	Invercargill 09
Waimate 08	Balclutha 09

The top six competitors will compete in the final at Balclutha. The winning 3 become the Heiniger Woolhandling South Island Team.

EF of \$25 closes at Waimate

Contact: Gail Carr ph: 03 314-9117

SENIOR & JUNIOR SOUTH ISLAND WOOLHANDLING CIRCUIT

This circuit starts at Gore 2008 and finishes at Balclutha 2009. Competitors must have competed in at least four out of eight shows. Points are taken from the heat placings. Points are scaled from 12 points out i.e. 1st receives 12 points, 2nd 11points etc. 12th onwards receive 1 point, for entry. The top three compete in a straight final at Balclutha.

EC Lumsden 2009

EF Junior \$15

Senior \$20

NEW ZEALAND WOOLHANDLER OF THE YEAR

The winner at Balclutha will be awarded the title of NZ Woolhandler of the Year. This also carries membership of the NZ TransTasman Woolhandling Team. They must have competed in a recognised fine wool woolhandling competition within the previous year.

NORTH ISLAND WOOLHANDLING SPORTS CIRCUIT **(NIWS)**

NORTH ISLAND WOOLHANDLER OF THE YEAR

Competitors have 16 competitions, (7 full wool, 1 lambs, 8 second shear) where they can accumulate points. Points are scaled from 12 points out i.e. 1st receives 12 points, 2nd 11 points etc. and 12th onwards receive 1 point. A minimum of four second shear and four full wool competitions points are required. The highest scores gained from those eight events will see the top four compete in Open, Senior and Junior finals at Golden Shears, Masterton.

Full wool:	Poverty Bay A&P	Grt Raihania HB A&P
	Manawatu A&P	CHB A&P
	Dvke Wool Champs	Pre Shears
	Golden Shears	

2/S	Raglan Shears	Taihape A&P)
	Feilding NI Champs	Dvke A&P
	Rangitikei Marton	Taumaranui Shears
	Apiti Shears	Taranaki Shears
	NZ Shearing Champs	

EF:	Open	\$25	TPM	\$1,500
	Snr	\$20	TPM	\$1,100
	Jnr	\$15	TPM	\$ 900

Contact: Ronnie Goss RD54, Feilding Ph: 06 328-5871

Winner of North Island Woolhandling Circuit is Trans Tasman Team Member.

In the event of a dead tie occurring in the North Island Woolhandling Circuit concerning the top four placings competitors shall be taken back from the highest total points accumulated from all shows for those competitors concerned.

NORTH ISLAND WOOLHANDLING TEAM

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1. A maximum of four challenges must be accepted by the defending region.
2. The defending region may accept the challenges in any order and in the case of receiving seven challenges has the right to decline any three challengers providing all challengers have had at least one challenge in the previous three years.
3. If a region has not challenged for three years then that region shall automatically have the right to be the first challenger of the next year.
4. The challenger must accept full responsibility for all travel and accommodation costs for its own team members.
5. The defender shall provide a four stand venue and all officials necessary for the challenge, as well as adult sheep of one breed.
6. The defender and challenger must take into account due respect for the Tru Test Ltd / Supershear brand when organising any sponsorship for the challenge.
7. The teams will consist of 1 open and 1 senior shearer – 1 open and 1 junior woolhandler.
8. The challenging team can have one shearing judge and one woolhandling judge at the invitation of the defenders.
9. All team members including judges must have been permanent residents in their region for at least the past 12 months prior to the date of the challenge to be eligible for team selection. The regions are those as set out in the Directory.
10. Individual team members can be replaced or changed during the year and from challenge to challenge. However teams must be named at least 14 days prior to a challenge.
11. Recommended sheep numbers: Maximum Open 10 sheep / senior 8 sheep. Minimum Open 6 / senior 4 or as appropriate.
12. SSNZ rules to apply.
13. Challenges must be received prior to 1 Sept by the Regional Delegate of the defending region.

14. Should the trophy be uplifted at any stage the remaining number of challenges available can be reapplied for by giving two weeks notice to the new defender. All previously accepted challenges shall have first option.
15. Should any one region have the trophy uninterrupted for three years, then that region must have two away challenges next year at its expense.
16. The region holding the trophy at year end, shall be the region recorded by way of a shield on the trophy. However if a region has been successful for one challenge during a year and loses the trophy, that region will also be recorded by way of a shield on the trophy box for that year.
17. There is to be no prize money for any team members however sponsorship to cover cost is allowable.

All disputes to these rules to be referred to the Chairman of a subcommittee appointed by SSNZ.

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MEAT & WOOL NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR SHEARING & WOOLHANDLING ENCOURAGEMENT CIRCUIT

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EVENT	LOCATION	DATE	SHR	W/H
Proverty Bay A&P	Gisbourne	October	II	II
Hawkes Bay A&P	Hastings	October	II	II
CHB A&P	Waipukurau	November	II	II
Kaikohe	Kaikohe	November	II	
Stratford	Stratford	November	II	
Western Shears	Raglan	January	II	II
Wairoa A&P	Wairoa	January	II	
Tauranga A&P	Tauranga	January	II	
Horowhenua A&P	Levin	January	II	II
Taihape A&P	Taihape	January	II	II
Agrodome Shears	Rotorua	January	II	
Dannevirke A&P	Dannevirke	February	II	II
Marton Shears	Marton	February	II	
Aria Sports	Aria	February	II	
Nth Hokianga	Hokianga	February	II	
Te Puke A&P	Te Puke	February	II	
NI Shears	Feilding	February	II	II
Taumaranui Shrs	Taumaranui	February	II	II
Apiti Shears	Apiti	February	II	II
Dvke Wool Champs	Dannevirke	February		II

EVENT	LOCATION	DATE	SHR	W/H
Pahiatua Shrs	Pahiatua	February	II	
Pre Shears	Masterton	February		II
Golden Shears	Masterton	March	II	II
Easter Show	Auckland	March	II	
Taranaki Shrs	Inglewood	March	II	II
NZ Shears	Te Kuiti	March	II	II
			23	16

- Points from 10 competitions will ensure eligibility
- Points are accumulated from the heats. Points are scaled from 12 points, i.e. 1st receives 12 points, 2nd 11 points etc and 12th onwards receive 1 point.
- Top 6 shearers and top 6 woolhandlers will contest a final to be held at the NZ Shearing Championships.
- TPM of \$3,000 with \$40.00 to each Top Qualifer at every event.
- Overall winners to receive \$200, all finalists to receive prize money.

Contact: Mavis Mullins 021 365-446

SHEARS RAISED IN CLASS 2008

UPGRADING CRITERIA

Promotion in classes will be on the basis of competition wins, tallies and rankings. If a competitor wins eight times in senior, five times in intermediate, three times in junior, or shears over the maximum tally for any class, they may be promoted a class from the start of the next season (1 September). A 'win' is a first place in either an individual competition or in a circuit event.

Senior to Open

James Ruki (Piopio),
Tane Henderson (Kaiwaka).
Richard Miller (Nelson)

Inter to Senior

Mason Adams (Lumsden),
Kaleb Godsiff (Pleasant Point),
Mark Grainger (Te Kuiti),
Ian Kirkpatrick (Gisborne),
Malcolm Sweeney (England),
Aaron Haynes (Feilding),
Mark McCone (Geraldine).

Junior to Inter

Davy Garland (Palmerston North),
Bevan Guy (Kaeo), Matene Mason (Feilding),
Donald McArthur (Australia),
Dane Phillips (Kaiwaka),
Adam Rabbidge (Invercargill),
Tipene Te Whata (Tautoro),
Dylan Fowler (Waimate).

Blade Shearers:

Inter to Open Jarrod Bool (Timaru), Justin Perniskie (Oamaru)

WOOLHANDLERS RAISED IN CLASS 2008

UPGRADING CRITERIA

Novice May compete once in each wool type i.e. full wool, fine wool etc.

Junior Upgraded after one 1st division win or six placings in jnr.

Senior **Upgraded after three 1st division wins .**

Senior to Open Aria Mullins (Dannevirke),
Donna Martin (Ngaruawahia),
Martha Marshall (Pukekohe),
Jude Kinaston (Christchurch).

Junior to Senior Cedric Aramoana (Waipukurau),
Melanie Barrett (Te Kuiti),
Natalie Collier (Te Kuiti),
Walter Edmonds (Raetihi),
Leah Iremonger (Urenui),
Molly Kidd (Gisborne),
Victoria Kumeroa (Wanganui),
April Flagstaff (Greymouth),
Jamie McLean (Taihape),
Sian McLeod (Taumarunui),
Amber Ross (Balclutha),
Amy Smith (Invercargill),
Peggy-Sue Tohengaroa (Taumarunui),
Amy Topling (Taihape),

**All competitors have the right of appeal by writing to:
SSNZ The Secretary, 392 Purchas Road, RD 2, Amberley 7482**

NZ REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS 2008-2009

TransTasman Team Test Series

- Tests to be held in Australia and Golden Shears NZ

3 shearers

- Winner of the PGG Wrightson Circuit 2008
- Winner of Golden Shears 2008
- Winner of Alexandra 2008

2 woolhandlers

- Winner North Island Woolhandler of the Year
- Winner NZ Woolhandler of the Year

United Kingdom Test Series

2 shearers

- Open Shearing Champion NZ Shears 2008
- Winner of the NZ Shears Circuit 2008

SSNZ has a policy whereby Australian association will only be undertaken with those affiliated to Shear Sports Australia.

Current NZ Teams 2008

Trans Tasman

Shearers: John Kirkpatrick, James Fagan,
winner Alexandra.

Woolhandlers: Keryn Herbert, Joel Henare

Manager: Roger Simpson

NB Current Manager is also the same for home series.

UK Test Series

Shearers: John Kirkpatrick, Paul Avery

Judge/Manager: Mike Barnett

NB: Current Manager is also the same for home series.

World Championships – Norway

Machine Shearers: John Kirkpatrick, Paul Avery

Blade Shearers: Bill Michelle, Peter Race

Woolhandlers: Joanne Kumeroa, Sheree Alabaster

Manager: Gavin Rowland

ENTRIES:

- ◇ Generally South Island competitions require entries prior to the competition.
- ◇ **Open Shearer's please note, in order to facilitate TAB Sports Betting the following Competitions need your entries two weeks prior to the event:**
 - South Island: Alexandra, Balclutha, Gore
 - North Island: Golden Shears, NZ Shearing Championships
- ◇ Open competitors, your co-operation would be much appreciated.
- ◇ When sending in these entries, please include:
 - * Full Name
 - * Address, Phone—private and work
 - * Class
 - * Your signature &
 - * Payment—cheque (*NB—Don't send cash via mail*)

ABBREVIATIONS:

EC	Entries close	EF	Entry fee
ST	Start Time	OE	Other Events
TPV	Total Prize Money	PW	Previous Winner
WH	Woolhandling	WP	Wool Pressing
TAB	Sports Betting		

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS:

- Fees shown in this Directory include a levy of \$1.50 per competitor for the promotion of our Sport.
- **Please Note: that entry fees do not necessarily include right of entry to grounds where competitions may be held.**
- Please do not discredit our image by harassing these volunteer gatekeepers who are obliged to implement their committees policy.

COMPETITION STANDARDS:

Initial grading at 1st September, is based on the following maximum personal tallies.

NOVICE: One competition season only

		8 HRS	9 HRS
JUNIOR:	Lambs	240	265
	Adult sheep (bellied)	210	230
	Adult sheep	185	210
	Fine wool	135	150

INTERMEDIATE:

Lambs	345	390
Adult sheep (bellied)	310	340
Adult sheep	275	310
Fine wool	195	220

SENIOR:	Lambs	455	510
	Adult sheep (bellied)	410	450
	Adult sheep	365	410
	Fine wool	275	310

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CERTIFICATE IN WOOL TECHNOLOGY

Woolhandlers, farmers, brokers, processors—in fact anyone wanting to understand wool and the wool industry in New Zealand, from sheep production to early stage processing—will find the certificate in wool technology extremely valuable.

The course is a two year part time programme consisting of five papers. It is taught extramurally through study guides and assignments. Short, practical block courses are also held in both Islands. Attendance at one of these courses is a compulsory part of the programme. On successful completion of the programme you will be offered automatic entry into the classer registration scheme.

For more information contact:

Laurie Boniface

Manager Industry Studies

Tel: (06) 350 2304

Mob: (027) 433 8925

27th Oct	SAT	WAITAKI / McKENZIE MERINO SHEARS <i>Formley Omarama Merino Shears</i>	A
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Katie Hurley

Ph/fax

03 436-0049

5 Gordon Street, Kurow

kjhurley@xtra.co.nz

Entries close 17/09/08: **Winter Comb** – shearing events.

Reporting time 30 min prior to event.

Shearing

Start time: 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$2,000	1st:	\$1,000	EF:	\$40
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Snr	TPV	\$1,400	1st:	\$600	EF:	\$30
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Blade Shearing

Start time: 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$2,000	1st:	\$1,000	EF:	\$40
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Woolhandling

Start time: 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$2,000	1st:	\$1,000	EF:	\$40
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Snr	TPV	\$1,000	1st	\$500	EF:	\$30
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Jrn	TPV	\$800	1st	\$400	EF:	\$25
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3/4 Oct	FRI/ SAT	ALEXANDRA NZ MERINO SHEARING & WOOLHANDLING CHAMPIONSHIPS	A
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Nola Nevill

Entries Juliette Lyon

PO Box 321 Alexandra

Ph/fax

0274 162-559

nola.nevill@xtra.co.nz

Entries: Txt entry2567 – follow instructions – NB txt cost 20cents

Cover comb in all events. Reporting time 30 min prior to event. NZ title events. PGG-Wrightson National Shearing Circuit EF \$25 to be paid before entering Open Heats.

Entries Close: 21 Sept 08

Shearing

Start time: 8.00am Saturday

Open	TPV	\$3,500	1st:	\$1,500	EF:	\$45
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Snr	TPV	\$1,300	1st:	\$600	EF:	\$35
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Woolhandling

Start time: Friday 7.45am

Open	TPV	\$2,000	1st:	\$1,000	EF:	\$35
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Snr	TPV	\$1,300	1st:	\$600	EF:	\$30
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Jnr	TPV	\$1,100	1st:	\$400	EF:	\$25
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NZ Merino Teams

2 Shearers, 2 Woolhandlers

TPV	\$2,600	1st:	\$1,000	EF:	\$45
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Late Entries—Rule 8 will be upheld

11 Oct	SAT	WAIMATE SHEARS NZ SPRING SHEARING CHAMPIONSHIPS	A
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Kirsten Edh

PO Box 73, Waimate

Ph: 03 689-8814

k.edh@xtra.co.nz

Entries close 03/10/08: Reporting time 30 min prior to event.

All competitors, excluding late entries, receive a singlet/t-shirt

Shearing

Start Time:

Open	TPV	\$3000	1st	\$1100	EF	\$50
Snr	TPV	\$1275	1st	\$ 400	EF	\$40
Int	TPV	\$ 760	1st	\$ 250	EF	\$35
Jnr	TPV	\$ 560	1st	\$200	EF	\$30

Other prizes to the value of: \$850.00

Woolhandling

Start Time: 7.30am

Open	TPV	\$790	1st	\$400	EF	\$40
Snr	TPV	\$620	1st	\$300	EF	\$35
Jnr	TPV	\$455	1st	\$200	EF	\$30
<u>Teams</u>	TPV	\$600	1st	\$300	EF	\$35

Other prizes to the value of: \$650.00

Blades

Start Time: 7.30am

Open	TPV	\$2500	1st	\$1000	EF	\$45
Int	TPV	\$1000	1st	\$425	EF	\$40

Other prizes to the value of: \$400.00

Some entries may change, subject to number of entries

NZ WOOL CLASSER ASSN.



**As a competitive woolhandler, you obviously
have got what it takes.**

**We have made it easier for YOU to take
the next step**

Be in charge:

- * The shed
- * Of yourself
- * Where you are going

***Take the next challenge—join the
NZ Wool Classers Association.***

Dave Carr
Classer Registrar
PO Box 7327
Sydenham
Christchurch

Ph: 03 353 9299—Cell 021 372244

18-Oct	SAT	ELLESMERE SHEARS	C
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Doug Michael

Dunsandel RD2, Leeston

Ph 03 325-4447

Fax : 03 325-4447

SPEED SHEAR

Start time: 10.30 am

Open	TPV:	\$250	1st:	\$130	EF:	\$15
Snr	TPV:	\$195	1st:	\$100	EF:	\$12
Int	TPV:	\$130	1st:	\$60	EF:	\$10
Jnr	TPV:	\$105	1st:	\$50	EF:	\$8

25 Oct	SAT	NORTHERN A&P-RANGIORA	C
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Noel Handley

9 Kowhai Ave, Rangiora

Phone 03 313-3009

Fax: 03 310-6759

Shearing

Start time: 10.00am

Open	TPV:	\$400	1st:	\$200	EF:	\$18
Snr	TPV:	\$300	1st:	\$150	EF:	\$15
Int	TPV:	\$220	1st:	\$100	EF:	\$12

Blade

Start time: 11.00am

Open	TPV:	\$575	1st:	\$250	EF:	\$18
Int	TPV:	\$300	1st:	\$160	EF:	\$15

1 Nov	SAT	ASHBURTON A&P SHEARS	C
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Norm Harraway

27 Hardy's Road, Rakaia

Phone 03 303-5412

Entries on the Day

Shearing

Start time: 9.00am sharp

Open	TPV:	\$700	1st:	\$220	EF:	\$15
Snr	TPV:	\$500	1st:	\$150	EF:	\$12
Int	TPV:	\$300	1st:	\$80	EF:	\$10
Jnr	TPV:	\$250	1st:	\$70	EF:	\$8

Blades

Start time: 11 am

Open	TPV:	\$350	1st:	\$150	EF:	\$12
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8 Nov	SAT	MARLBOROUGH SHEARS	C
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Chris Jones

Valleyview, RD 6 Blenheim

Phone 03 572-4884

Open Plate and Best Quality prize

Shearing Start time: 1.00pm

Open	TPV:	\$400	1st:	EF:	\$20
Snr	TPV:	\$250	1st:	EF:	\$15
Int	TPV:	\$150	1st:	EF:	\$10
Jnr	TPV:	\$100	1st:	EF:	\$5

8 Nov	SAT	PLEASANT POINT GYMKHANA	C
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John Walsh

*49 Afghan St.
Pleasant Point*

Phone 03 614-7134

Local Open Plate event

Shearing Start time: 9.30 am

Open	TPV:	\$1,250	1st:	EF:	\$25
Snr	TPV:	\$750	1st:	EF:	\$15
Int	TPV:	\$500	1st:	EF:	\$10
Jnr	TPV:	\$300	1st:	EF:	\$10

12-14 Nov	THUR to FRID	CANTERBURY SHEARS ROYAL NZ SHOW	A
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Amanda Plumridge

PO Box 9002, Christchurch

Ph: 03 343-3033

Email: Amanda@theshow.co.nz

Fax: 03 343-3110

Electronic entry form at www.theshow.co.nz

Post entries allowed

Entries Close: 24/10/08

Shearing

Start Time: 8.00 am

Open	TPV	\$2750	1 st	\$1200	EF	\$40
Sen	TPV	Product	1 st	Product	EF	\$30
Int	TPV	\$ 750	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$28

Woolhandling

Start Time: 8.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 950	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$28
Snr	TPV	\$ 650	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$25
Jnr	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20

Blade

Start Time: 11.00 am

Open	TPV	\$2200	1 st	\$ 900	EF	\$36
Int	TPV	\$ 390	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$28

Contractors Relay

TPV	\$ 700	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$25
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Canterbury Circuit:

Final: Thursday Afternoon

Open	TPV	\$1400	1 st	\$ 400
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22 Nov	SAT	WEST OTAGO SHEARS	C
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Kevin Baxter

RD 5, Gore

Ph: 03 204-8703

Entries Close: 12.00pm (*on the day*)

Open	TPV	\$ 600	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20
Sen	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10

22-23 Nov	SAT/SUN	NELSON SHEARS	B
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Roger Simpson

Matariki, RD 2, Wakefield

Ph: 03 522-4602

Top of the South Circuit

Open	TPV	\$1425	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$30
Sen	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 140	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$ 6

10 Jan	SAT	PENINSULA DUVAUCHELLE SHOW	C
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Richard Crow

84 Piper Valley Rd, Akaroa RD

Ph: 03 304-5822

Lamb Speed Shear, contractors, veterans prize TV: \$500

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$450	1 st	\$200	EF	\$12
Sen	TPV	\$350	1 st	\$150	EF	\$10
Int	TPV	\$150	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$ 7
Jnr	TPV	\$100	1 st	\$ 40	EF	\$ 5

16 Jan	FRI	NORTHERN SOUTHLAND COMMUNITY SHEARS	A
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Patsy Shirley

85 Forest Street, Lumsden

03 248-7060

Entries Close: 9/01/09

Shearing:

Start time: 9.30am

Open	TPV	\$2400	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$45
Sen	TPV	\$1100	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$35
Int	TPV	\$ 700	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$30
Jnr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$25

Woolhandling:

Start time: 10.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 700	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$30
Snr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$25
Jnr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$20

17 Jan	SAT	SOUTHLAND SHEARS NZ CROSSBRED LAMB CHAMPS	A
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Gus Dermody

RD 1, Invercargill

Ph: 03 231-3120

All competitors receive a singlet

Shearing

Start Time: 9.30am

Open	TPV	\$2200	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$35
Sen	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$25
Int	TPV	\$ 575	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20
Jnr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$20

SOUTHLAND SHEARS—Cont

Woolhandling

Start Time: 9.30am

Open	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 175	EF	\$18
Jnr	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 125	EF	\$15

17 Jan	SAT	GOLDEN BAY A&P	C
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Nick Nalder

Aaron Creek, Upper Takaka

Ph: 03 525-9475

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.30am

Open	TPV	\$1400	1 st	\$ 770	EF	\$24
Sen	TPV	\$ 650	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$18
Int	TPV	\$ 480	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$10

24 Jan	SAT	TAPAWERA SHEARS	B
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Baden Barker

Stanley Brook, RD 2, Wakefield

Ph: 03 522-4370

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.30am

Open	TPV	\$1350	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$24
Sen	TPV	\$ 600	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$16
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 120	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$ 8

07 Feb	SAT	REEFTON A&P SHOW	B
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Sam Win

PO Box 52, Reefton

Ph: 03 732-8667

Cell: 021 732-818

Entries Close on the day. All competitors to enter at Show Secretaries Office on entering the grounds. Speed Shear, Junior Clean shear, guest, team & visitors prizes.

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 800	1 st	\$	EF	\$18
Sen	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$	EF	\$10
Clean Shr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st		EF	\$ 8
Classic	TPV	\$ 200	1 st		EF	\$10

Blades:

Open	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$	EF	\$
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Speed Shear: *Start Time: 7.30pm* langahua Hotel

13-14 Feb	FRI/ SAT	OTAGO SHEARS—BALCLUTHA	A
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Jan Campbell

Otanomomo, 1RD, Balclutha

Ph/Fax: 03 418-2454

Email: land&campbell@ihug.co.nz

National Title Events

Start Time: Frid: 12.30pm

Sat 7.30am

Shearing:

Cash / product to the value of:

Open	TPV	\$2500	1 st	\$ 900	EF	\$45
Sen	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$40
Int	TPV	\$ 750	1 st	\$ 260	EF	\$35
Jnr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$30

Woolhandling

Start Time: 9.00am

Cash / Product to the value of:

Open	TPV	\$3000	1 st	\$1400	EF	\$45
Snr	TPV	\$1750	1 st	\$ 750	EF	\$35
Jnr	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$30

Shearing & Woolhandling Teams Event

Teams	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$40
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Pressing Teams:

Pressing	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$30
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20-21 Feb	SAT	GORE SOUTHERN SHEARS	A
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Richard Peirce

34 Albany St, Gore

Ph/Fax: 03 208-5804

Cell: 027 420-7180

Final Heiniger South Island Shearer of the Year (SISOTY)

Shearing:

Start Time: Sat—7.30am

Open	TPV	\$2500	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$48
Sen	TPV	\$1100	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$40
Int	TPV	\$ 650	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$35
Jnr	TPV	\$ 450	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$25
SISOY	TPV	\$1600	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$40

Woolhandling

Start Time: Frid—12 noon

Open	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$35
Snr	TPV	\$ 625	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$30
Jnr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$25

21 Feb	SAT	MURCHISON SHEARS	C
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Roger Simpson

Matariki, RD 2, Wakefield

Ph/Fax: 03 522-4602

Entries—On the Day

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 450	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$20
Sen	TPV	\$ 225	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 170	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	\$ 125	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$10

28 Feb	SAT	NORTH OTAGO A&P SHEARS	C
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Murray Jones

PO Box 54, Oamaru

Ph: 03 434-8100

Email:

Fax: 03 434-5281

murray@murrayjones.co.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$20
Sen	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$ 165	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$ 8

28 Feb	SAT	KAIKOURA A&P	C
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Terri Chalmers

364 Mt Fyffe Rd, RD 1, Kaikoura

Ph/Fax: 03 319-6097

Email: terri.sandy@xtra.co.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$12
Sen	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$10
Int	TPV	\$ 130	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 8
Jnr	TPV	\$ 60	1 st	\$ 30	EF	\$ 5

Other Prizes: \$100 vouchers—Open, Senior, Intermediate

7 Mar	SAT	AMURI SHEARS	C
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Hamish Hammond

*Mandamus Downs, RD 2,
Culverden*

Ph: 03 315-8454

Fax: 03 315-8037

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 120	EF	\$12
Sen	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 65	EF	\$10

AMURI SHEARS- cont

Int	TPV	\$ 175	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 8
Jnr	TPV	\$ 50	1 st	\$ 25	EF	\$ 6

Teams Event

8 Mar	SUN	KOWAI-SEFTON SPORTS	C
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M Ford

9 Ropley St, Amberley

Ph: 03 314-7212

Fax: 03 314-7215

Email: candmltd@clear.net.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$12
Sen	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$10
Int	TPV	\$ 130	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 8
Jnr	TPV	\$ 60	1 st	\$ 30	EF	\$ 5

Other Prizes: \$100 vouchers—Open, Senior, Intermediate

14 Mar	SAT	MAYFIELD A&P SHOW	C
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Marion Jacobson

RD 5, Ashburton 7775

Ph: 03 303-6122

Email:

Fax: 03 303-6142

mayfieldshow@netaccess.co.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$	EF	\$15
Sen	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$	EF	\$12
Int	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$	EF	\$ 7

14 Mar	SAT	CHEVIOT A&P SHOW	C
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Richard Reed

Riverside, Parnassus RD

Ph: 03 319-2854

Shearing:

Start Time:

Open	TPV	\$320	1 st	\$150	EF	\$25
Sen	TPV	\$ 220	1 st	\$100	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 120	1 st	! 70	EF	\$15

21 Mar	SAT	METHVEN LAMB SHEARS	C
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Bruce Lilley

'Enfield' RD 6, Ashburton 7776

Ph/Fax: 03 302-8542

Other prizes to the value of \$200

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.30am

Open	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15
Sen	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$12
Int	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 8

22 Mar	SUN	FLAXBOURNE A&P SHOW	C
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Bernadette Gilmore

6 Logan Pl, Blenheim

Ph: 03 577-7174

Email: gilmorez@xtra.co.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 11.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$12
Sen	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 80	EF	\$10
Int	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$ 8

4 Apr	SAT	OXFORD SHEARS	C
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Dave Brooker

431 Woodstock Rd, Oxford RD

Ph/Fax: 03 312-4895

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 800	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20
Sen	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$ 125	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 80	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 180	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$10

Blade:

Start Time: 11.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 280	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$15
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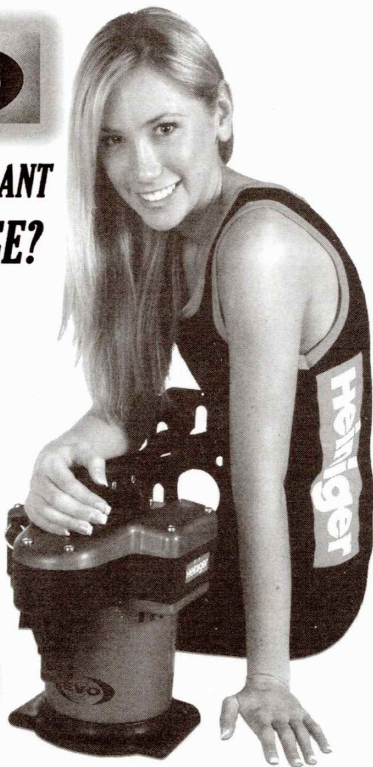


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Res: Rowland Smith

Venues: Raetahi; Waitomo vs Walsh Team
Southland; Gore vs NZ Team

Woolhandlers: Aria Mullins; Waimere Peneha—Res: Jud Kinaston

Venues; Balclutha; Dannevirke Woolhandling Champs

Manager: Island Chairman.

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Competing at Taranaki; Golden Shears; Kumeu; NZ Shears.

Confirmation only when competitions agree to holding these events.

TEAM MANAGER & JUDGE SELECTION

Trans Tasman Judge & Team Manager:

SSNZ affiliated competitions must forward their nominations to the PGG-Wrightson circuit meeting before the 10th February (prior to Golden Shears). Selection will be decided at this meeting. Before going to SSNZ National meeting for ratification.

United Kingdom Team Judge/Manager:

SSNZ affiliated competitions must forward their nominations to the Island committees, successful applicants will then be forwarded to NZ Shears Committee, before going to SSNZ National committee for final selection and ratification. In the case of a Judge/Manager, they are nominated as a judge first.

World Championship Team Managers & Judges:

SSNZ affiliated competitions must forward their nominations to Island meetings, 12 months in advance of any World Championships. All nominations will be considered and voted by National delegates at the AGM.

Judges for World Champs, have to be ratified by examiners meeting before going to National for ratification.

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16-18 Oct	FRI/SAT	POVERTY BAY A&P SHOW	A
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Derek Allen

Box 2186, Makaraka, Gisbourne

Ph: 06 868-6084

Fax: 06 868-8011

NZ Shears Circuit, local prizes, postal entries before closing date
receive gate passes
NI Woolhandling Circuit.

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30 am

Open	TPV	\$2500	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$20
Sen	TPV	\$ 600	1 st	\$ 350	EF	\$17
Int	TPV	\$ 425	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$10

Woolhandling

Start Time:

Open	TPV	\$ 475	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$15
Snr	TPV	\$ 335	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 175	EF	\$10

Speed Shear: Start Time: Friday 1.00 pm

24 Oct	FRID	HAWKES BAY A&P SHOW	B
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Colin Watson

102 Chatham Rd, Hastings

Ph: 06 879-553

Email: sshb@xtra.co.nz

Veterans event

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.00 am

Open	TPV	\$2250	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$25
Sen	TPV	\$1250	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 750	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 460	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$10

HAWKES BAY A&P SHOW— cont...

Woolhandling

Start Time: 8.00 am

Open	TPV	\$ 800	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$12
Snr	TPV	\$ 590	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	\$ 370	1 st	\$ 180	EF	\$ 5
Pairs	TPV	\$ 800	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$10

08 Nov

SAT

MANAWATU A&P SHEARS

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Julie Harre'

PO Box 501, Feilding

Ph: 06 323-1886

Email: info@manawatushow.co.nz

Venue: Manfield Park, Feilding—*deduction of \$5 from entry fee, if gate pass presented.*

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.00 am

Open	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$10

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 8.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$14
Snr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10

15 Nov	SAT	CENTRAL HAWKES BAY A&P SHEARS	B
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David Poulton

326 Rangitoto Rd, RD 2. Takapau

Ph/Fax: 06 855-8483

Email: djpoulton@clear.net.co.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30 am

Open	TPV	\$1300	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$25
Snr	TPV	\$ 675	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 175	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$10
Novice	TPV	\$ 90	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 5

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 8.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 775	1 st	\$ 350	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10

29 Nov	SAT	STRATFORD A&P SHEARS	C
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Paul Avery

535 Waiwiri Rd, RD 22. Stratford

Ph/Fax: 06 762-2884

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.30 am

Open	TPV	\$1050	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$15
Snr	TPV	\$ 530	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$10
Int	TPV	\$ 290	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$ 6
Jnr	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$ 5
Novice	TPV	Product			EF	Free

03 Jan	SAT	WESTERN SHEARS—RAGLAN	A
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Warren Parker

103 Parker Access Rd, RD 1
Raglan

Ph: 07 825-5141

Email: parkerw@no8wireless.co.nz

Note: All events will be lamb shearing

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30 am

Open	TPV	\$3000	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$40
Snr	TPV	\$1350	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$35
Int	TPV	\$ 670	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$23
Jnr	TPV	\$ 505	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20

Woolhandling

Start Time: 8.30 am

Open	TPV	\$1920	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$40
Snr	TPV	\$ 420	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$23
Jnr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 125	EF	\$18

10 Jan	SAT	COOPER-WILSON KAIKOHE SHEARING CHAMPS	C
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K P Bedford

PO Box 295, Kaikohe

Ph: 09 401-0446

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 650	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 375	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 240	1 st	\$ 125	EF	\$10
Jnr	Sweep Stake				EF	\$ 5

Speed Shear: Open TPV \$120 EF: \$10—Snr TPV \$ 80 EF: \$ 8

17 Jan	SAT	WAIROA A&P SHEARS	B
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Bart Hadfield

Mangaroa Rd, RD 5, Wairoa

Ph: 06 838 6732

Email: mangaroa.stn@xtra.co.nz

Speed Shear—Friday night 7pm—Open and Senior

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.00 am

Open	TPV	\$1150	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$15
Snr	TPV	\$ 575	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$12
Int	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$ 8

Veterans, Clean Shear Cup, Local Finals, Product Prizes.

17 Jan	SAT	TAURANAGA A&P SHOW	
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Rodney Griffin

*416 Kattemako Rd, Welcome Bay,
Tauranga*

Ph: 07 544 2359

*Email:
rodandmary@callsouth.net.nz*

Local event, plus products and Spot prizes

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.00 am

Open	TPV	\$2100	1 st	\$ 900	EF	\$30
Snr	TPV	\$1800	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$25
Int	TPV	\$ 725	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$18
Jnr	TPV	\$ 420	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$12

Open Event Starts: 12.30 pm

18 Jan	SUN	HOROWHENUA SHEARING & WOOLHANDLING	B
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Vicky Bryant
Email: don.vicki@xtra.co.nz

91 Muhunua West Rd, RD 20,
Ohau, Levin

Ph: 06 367-9392

Fax: 06 367-9354

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$1200	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 600	1 st	\$ 240	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 130	EF	\$13
Jnr	TPV	\$ 220	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 9.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$16
Snr	TPV	\$ 225	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$13
Jnr	TPV	\$ 175	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$ 8

KEEP GATE ticket; TVP may include product for both events.

24 Jan	SAT	TAIHAPE A&P SHOW	A
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Ngahina Transom

17 Takahe Street, Taihape

Fax: 06 388-0254

Email: hina@callsouth.net.nz

Speed Shear Gretna Hotel 24th Jan—7pm
NZ Shears Circuit

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30am prompt

Open	TPV	\$2200	1 st	\$ 800	EF	\$30
Snr	TPV	\$1170	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$25
Int	TPV	\$ 880	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$20
Jnr	TPV	\$ 710	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15

Other prized to the value of \$500

TAIHAPE ..cont

Woolhandling:
Start Time: 8.30am prompt

Open	TPV	\$1150	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 820	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 490	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$12
Novice	TPV	\$ 150	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 5

Other prizes to the value of \$500

25 Jan	SUN	AGRODOME SHEARS—ROTORUA	A
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Pat Corcoran

PO Box 170, Ngongotaha

Ph: 07 357-2979

Email: rotoruashow@xtra.co.nz

Local event, plus products and Spot prizes

Shearing:
Start Time: 9.00 am

Open	TPV	\$2100	1 st	\$ 900	EF	\$30
Snr	TPV	\$1800	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$25
Int	TPV	\$ 725	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$18
Jnr	TPV	\$ 420	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$12

Open Event Starts: 12.30 pm

06 Feb	FRI	DANNEVIRKE A&P SHOW	B
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N J Williams

118 Guy Street, Dannevirke

Ph: 06 374-5911

Fax: 06 374-5911

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.15 am (Novice)

Open	TPV	\$1300	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$23
Snr	TPV	\$ 830	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$18
Int	TPV	\$ 610	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 610	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 440	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$13
Novice	TPV	\$ 165	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$ 8

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 8.15 am

Open	TPV	\$ 625	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$14
Snr	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 265	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$ 9
Novice	TPV	\$ 110	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 8

06 Feb	FRI	ARIA SPORTS	C
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Brett Johnston

22 Kaitaringa Rd, RD 2, Piopio

Ph/Fax: 07 877-7774

Best Local prizes: Woolhandling to be confirmed

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.30 am

Open	TPV	\$ 750	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$15
Snr	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$11
Int	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 80	EF	\$ 8
Jnr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 80	EF	\$ 8

7 Feb	SAT	RANGITIKEI SHEARING SPORTS—MARTON	A
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Marie Kinloch

101 Pukepapa Rd, Marton

Ph 06 327-7445

Entries on the day

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$1875	1 st	\$ 800	EF	\$25
Snr	TPV	\$1180	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 765	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$565	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$10
Novice	TPV	\$ 170	1 st	\$ 75	EF	\$ 8

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$ 835	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 505	1 st	\$ 180	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$10
Novice	TPV	\$ 205	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$ 8

07 Feb	SAT	TE PUKE A&P SHOW	B
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Graeme McCarroll

205 Te Matai Rd, RD 8, Te Puke

Ph: 07 573-8611

Email: gmccarroll@slingshot.co.nz

Open Plate TPM \$400 1st \$150

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00am

Open	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 550	1 st	\$ 240	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	\$ 330	1 st	\$ 140	EF	\$12

TE PUKE A&P...cont

Jnr	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10
Veteran	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10

07 Feb	SAT	NORTH KAIPARA A&P SHOW (PAPAROA)	C
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Ken Massey

254b Kamo Rd, Whau Valley, Whangarei

Ph: 0274 943-490

Email: kenm@nrc.govt.nz

Special instructions i.e. cover comb etc

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10
Snr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10
Int	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$ 60	EF	\$ 4
Jnr	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$ 40	EF	\$ 4
Veterans	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$ 40	EF	\$ 4

08 Feb	SUN	NI SHEARING CHAMPS FEILDING	B
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Sherylee Cribb

9 Cobham Way, Feilding

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14 Feb	SAT	NORTHERN WAIROA A&P ASS	C
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Neville Osbourne

Avoca, RD 2, Dargaville

Ph: 09 439-0541

Sec: Nicky Poyner

Brain Cocks Cup for Best Local; Veterans and Clean Shear Events

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 250	1 st	\$ 130	EF	\$13
Snr	TPV	\$ 190	1 st	\$ 80	EF	\$11
Int	TPV	\$ 60	1 st	\$ 30	EF	\$ 9
Jnr	TPV	\$ 50	1 st	\$ 25	EF	\$ 7
Speed Shear			1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$15

14 Feb	SAT	OHURA SHEARS	C
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B Marshall

Ph: 07 893-7881

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00am

Open	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$	EF	\$16
Snr	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$	EF	\$12
Int	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$	EF	\$ 8

21 Feb	SAT	NORTH HOKIANGA	C
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Sylvia Clutterbuck

RD 1 KohuKohu

Ph: 09 409-5555

Fax: 09 409-5565

Local shearing finals: ribbons, trophies & product all grades

Shearing:

Start Time: 11.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$	EF	\$11
Snr	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$	EF	\$ 9

NTH HOKIANGA ...cont

Int	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$	EF	\$ 6
Jnr	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$	EF	\$ 6

21 Feb	SAT	COUNTIES SHEARS	A
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Emily Welch

RD 5, Tuakau

Ph: 09 233-3140

Email: emilysam@xtra.co.nz

Local Prizes to the value of \$1000

Shearing:

Start Time: 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$2000	1 st	\$ 800	EF	\$11
Snr	TPV	\$1300	1 st	\$ 550	EF	\$ 9
Int	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$ 6
Jnr	TPV	\$ 525	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$ 6
Womens	TPV	\$ 525	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$
Veterans	TPV	\$ 275	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$ 5

27 Feb	FRI	TAUMARANUI SHEARS	A
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Pakau Barrett

P O Box 370, Taumaranui

Ph: 07 896-7760

Product and Spot Prizes

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$2350	1 st	\$ 800	EF	\$30
Snr	TPV	\$ 895	1 st	\$ 350	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 575	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 445	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$10

TAUMARANUI ...cont

Woolhandling:
Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$ 875	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$20
Snr	TPV	\$ 595	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 445	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$10

28 Feb
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APITI SHEARS
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Russell Knight
269 Oroua Rd, RD 7, Feilding
Ph: 06 328-4774
Email: russellknight@tectra.co.nz
Shearing:
Start Time: 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$1250	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$25
Snr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$18
Int	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$12
Jnr	TPV	\$ 210	1 st	\$ 80	EF	\$10
Novice	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$ 8

Woolhandling:
Start Time: 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 380	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Snr	TPV	\$ 220	1 st	\$ 100	EF	\$10
Jnr	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$ 85	EF	\$ 8
Novice	TPV	Vouchers	1 st	Vch \$50	EF	\$ 6

01 Mar	SUN	DANNEVIRKE WOOL CHAMPS	A
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Hine McLaren

20 Carlson St, Dannevirke

Ph: 06 374-8552

Email: mrmullins@xtra.co.nz

Team event dependant on numbers & time **EC: 22/02/09**

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$1850	1 st	\$1100	EF	\$35
Snr	TPV	\$ 900	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$30
Jnr	TPV	\$ 575	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$25
Novice	TPV	\$ 225	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$10
Team	TPV	\$ 200	1 st	\$	EF	\$20

01 Mar	SUN	PAHIATUA SHEARS	A
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Marie Clarke

15 King St, Pahiatua

Ph: 06 376-8926

Cell: 027 646-5187

Email: pahiatuashears@inspire.net.co

Other prizes to the value of \$700

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$3000	1 st	\$1200	EF	\$35
Snr	TPV	\$1370	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$25
Int	TPV	\$ 730	1 st	\$ 220	EF	\$20
Jnr	TPV	\$ 510	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15

04 Mar	WED	PRE SHEARS WOOLHANDLING	A
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Mick Nooroa (president)

PO Box 476, Masterton

Ph: 06 377-3057

Cell: 021 131-8270

EC: 20/02/09, surcharge applies for late entries

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$1400	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$30
Snr	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$25
Jnr	TPV	\$ 675	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$20
Teams	TPV	TBA	1 st		EF	\$25

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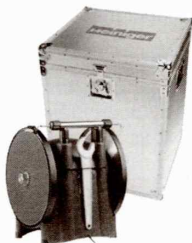
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Pip Dalglish

PO Box 311, Masterton

Ph: 06 378-8008

Fax: 06 378-8009

Email: officesolutions@xtra.co.nz

EC: 20/02/09

Shearing:

Start Time: Thurs 7.45am

Open	TPV	\$11,000	1 st	\$3000+	EF	\$65
Snr	TPV	\$ 3700	1 st	\$1000+	EF	\$55
Int	TPV	\$2000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$50
Jnr	TPV	\$1600	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$45
Nov	TPV	\$ 800	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$40

Open winner—Australian Trip, & Supershear product.
all other winners receive Supershear Product

Teams	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$60
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OE: Supershear Trans-Tasman Aust v NZ Shearing Test
PGG Wrightson National Final
YFC Blue Ribbon Teams
Invitation Maori/Pakeha Team Event
Tui Open Plate
NZ vs Wales

Woolhandling:**Start Time:** Thurs 7.45am

Open	TPV	\$2500	1 st	\$1200	EF	\$55
Snr	TPV	\$1300	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$50
Jnr	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$45

OE: Trans Tasman Aust vs NZ Woolhandling Test
 North Island Woolhandling Circuit Finals

Woolpressing:**Start Time:** Thurs 10.00am

Singles (men)	TPV	\$1100	1 st	\$ 550	EF	\$30
Singles (women)	TPV	\$ 830	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$30
Pairs	TPV	\$ 830	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$30
Pairs (women)	sweepstake				EF	\$30

Triathlon:

TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$NEF
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Competitors must enter all three disciplines

Shearing, Woolhandling, Singles Pressing.

Points are taken from competitor's heats

Lowest number of accumulated points, wins.

14-15 Mar	SAT SUN	KUMEU SUMMER SHEARS	A
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Beth Tolj

PO Box 2, Kumeu

Ph: 09 412-9322

Fax: 09 412-7506

Email: kumeushowgrounds@xtra.co.nz

EC: 23/02/09, surcharge for late entries will apply

Shearing:

Start Time: Saturday 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$3400	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$35
Snr	TPV	\$1450	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$25
Int	TPV	\$ 970	1 st	\$ 350	EF	\$20
Jnr	TPV	\$ 840	1 st	\$ 320	EF	\$15

Start Time: Sunday 10.00am—NZ vs Wales Test & Veterans

21 Mar	SAT	WAIMARINO SHEARS	B
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Jimmy Edmonds

11 Duncan St, Raetihi

Ph: 06 385-4475

Email: edmondsshearing@xtra.co.nz

Local Teams, Veterans Challenge

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$1550	1 st	\$ 600	EF	\$25
Snr	TPV	\$ 850	1 st	\$ 350	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 580	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 410	1 st	\$ 180	EF	\$10

22 Mar	SUN	TARANAKI SHEARS	A
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Phillippa Bellamy

68 Brewer Rd, 22 RD, Stratford

Ph: 06 762-3860

Email: bot@huiakama.school.nz

Shearing:

Start Time: 8.30am

Open	TPV	\$2850	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$32
Snr	TPV	\$1850	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$22
Int	TPV	\$ 600	1 st	\$	EF	\$17
Jnr	TPV	\$ 400	1 st	\$	EF	\$12
Novice	TPV	\$ 100	1 st	\$ 50	EF	Free

Woolhandling:

Start Time: 9.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 600	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$18
Snr	TPV	\$ 350	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 300	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$12

28 Mar	SAT	WAITOMO CAVES	C
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Phillip Johnston

RD 8, Te Kuiti

Ph/Fax: 07 878-5121

Shearing:

Start Time: 10.00am

Open	TPV	\$ 900	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$25
Snr	TPV	\$ 500	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$20
Int	TPV	\$ 275	1 st	\$ 150	EF	\$15
Jnr	TPV	\$ 140	1 st	\$ 50	EF	\$10

2nd 3rd 4th Apr 2009	THUR- FRI SAT	NEW ZEALAND SHEARING CHAMPIONSHIPS	A
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Sec C Fouracre Ph: 07 878-7848 E: c.fouracre@xtra.co.nz

Entries Office Ph: 07 878-8962

EC: 21/03/09

Shearing:

Start Time: Thurs 2.00pm

Int	TPV	\$2010	1 st	\$ 400+Aust	EF	\$40
Jnr	TPV	\$1000	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$30
Novice	TPV	Sweepstake	1 st		EF	\$15

Start Time: Frid 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$24850	1 st	\$3000+UK Trip	EF	\$65
Sen	TPV	\$ 3300	1 st	\$1000+Aust	EF	\$50

NISOY: NZ Shears Circuit; Warnambool vs NZ Shears Challenge;
NZ vs Wales Test; Local Contractors Relay

Woolhandling:

Start Time: Thurs 8.00am

Open	TPV	\$2400	1 st	\$1500	EF	\$50
Snr	TPV	\$1125	1 st	\$ 400	EF	\$40
Jnr	TPV	\$ 490	1 st	\$ 200	EF	\$30

Speed Shear:

Start Time: Thurs 6.45am

Open	TPV	\$4050	1 st	\$2000	EF	\$55
Snr	TPV	\$1400	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$35

Competitors Prize Draw: Only entries received before closing date are eligible for the draw.

10th – 12th Apr	FRI SAT SUN	NORTHERN SHEARS, ROYAL EASTER SHOW AUCKLAND	A
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Gaylene Ashton

PO Box 26014, Epson, Auckland

Ph: 09 623-7697

Email: gaylene@asbshowgrounds.co.nz

NB: Event held at ASB Showgrounds, 217 Greenlane West, Akld

Shearers entry Gate1, post entries receive gate admission for competitor and parking pass.

EC: 01/04/09

Shearing:

Start Time: Frid—12 mid-day

Jnr	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$ 300	EF	\$15
Int	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$ 500	EF	\$20

Start Time: Sat—12 mid-day

Snr	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$ 750	EF	\$25
Open	TPV	TBA	1 st	\$1000	EF	\$35
Open & Senior Plate TPV—TBA					EF	\$Nil

Speed Shear

Start Time: Sat-7.00pm

Snr	TPV	TBA	1 st	TBA	EF	\$20
Open	TPV	TBA	1 st	TBA	EF	\$30

Veteran:

Start Time: Sun-12 mid-day

TPV	TBA	1 st	\$ 250	EF	\$10
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Veterans restricted to shearers 50yrs and over.

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STRONG WOOL EWES—9 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
30/01/2007	1	Rodney Sutton	721	721
01/02/1996	2	Darin Forde Wayne Ingram	688	1335
25/06/1993	3	Ricky Pivac Chris Brooker Dion Morrell	647	1857

MERINO EWES—9 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
05/04/2005	1	Dwayne Black	513	513

MERINO WETHERS—9 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
04/11/1999	1	Grant Smith	418	418
12/10/1994	2	Barry Taylor Grant Smith	405 404	809

STRONG WOOL EWES—8 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
23/01/2008	1	Jimmy Clarke	560	560
11/12/1999	2	Stacey Te Huia Hayden Te Huia	491 495	986

MERINO EWES—8 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
22/02/2003	1	Cartwright Terry	466	466
22/02/2003	2	Michael James Terry Cartwright Terry	458 466	924

MERINO WETHERS—8 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
20/10/2007	1	Dave Grant	356	356
20/10/2007	2	Laurie Bateman Dave Grant	353 356	709

STRONG WOOL LAMBS—9 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
10/01/2007	1	Dion King	866	866
23/12/1999	2	Rodney Sutton Nigel Brown	823 814	1637
29/01/2006	3	Jimmy Clark Peter Harvey Shane Harvey	769 777 804	2350
21/12/2007	4	Roger Neil Beau Geulfi Cartwright Terry James Fagan	710 713 734 740	2897
11/01/2005	6	Darin Forde Jimmy Clarke Alton Devery Darryn Gutsell Paul Rutherford Craig Anderson	757 706 687 662 668 708	4188

WOMENS STRONG WOOL LAMBS—9 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
27/11/2207	1	Emily Welch	649	649

STRONG WOOL LAMBS—8 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
16/12/2002	1	Justine Bull	731	731
16/12/2002	2	Sean Edmonds Justin Bull	675 731	1406
08/01/1999	3	Digger Balme Roger Neil Dean Ball	621 600 563	1784

HALF/BRED LAMBS—8 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
22/10/2005	1	Dwayne Black	519	519

MERINO LAMBS—8 HOURS

DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
06/10/2002	1	Dwayne Black	664	664
06/10/2002	2	Troy Stansbury Dwayne Black	509 570	1079
12/02/2003	3	Ken Norman Patrick Magase Charles August	456 375 377	1208
02/11/2002	8	Mark King Andrew Noble Campbell Raymond King Paul Henderson John Henderson Greg McAtamney Craig King John Duke	371 406 349 308 354 411 388 352	2939

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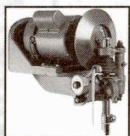
DATE	STAND	NAME	IND. TALLY	TALLY
10/02/2006	1	Samuel Juba	245	245
10/02/2006	2	Barrgani Joel Samuel Juba	215 245	460

Record application *FEES* please submit the following:

- One Stand (Minimum Fee) - USD \$1800.00
- Two Stand—USD \$2700.00 and USD \$500.00 thereafter up to a maximum of six stands.
- All expenses associated with accommodation and meals for official referees to be met by applicant.

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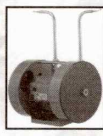
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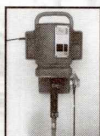
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SPEED SHEARS

- Application for membership must be in writing. Membership entitles organisation to SSNZ benefits.
- Affiliation levy is \$3.00 per competitor with a minimum fee of \$40.00 payable to: The Secretary, 392 Purchas Rd, RD 2, Amberley 7482
- Affiliated Speed Shears must use registered SSNZ judges. SSNZ judges are permitted to judge at non-affiliated Speed Shears, but should encourage them to be affiliated to SSNZ.
- Judges and officials have the right to refuse a competitor, if it is considered their ability is impaired by alcohol or drugs.
- Open and Senior grade Speed Shears only. If a Speed Shear wishes to involve Junior and Intermediate grades, it must be a clean shear event.
- SSNZ Health & Safety policy will apply to Speed Shear events.
- In fairness to competitors every effort should be made to get lambs/sheep as even as possible.

SPEED SHEAR RULES:

1. Sheep to be judged standing (unless an obvious misdemeanor underneath).
1. Plucking after time will mean disqualification.
2. Time to be taken from cord pull to cord pull if electronic timing is not available
3. No false starts (applicable to timing system only)
4. Moccasins or suitable footwear must be worn
5. Full pizzle, teat and tail crutch is essential.

SPEED SHEAR DATES:

NORTH ISLAND

DATE	ST	VENUE	GENERAL	CONTACT
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2008

Oct 10 th	1pm	Poverty Bay A&P Gisbourne		Derek Allen P: 09 868-6084
Oct 11th		Tekaraka		Ailsa Fleming P: 06 862-3866

2009

Jan 10th		Cooper Wilson Kaikohi	Opn EF\$10 Snr EF\$ 8	K Bedford P: 09 401-0446
Jan 16th	7pm	Wairoa A&P	Open Senior	Bart Hadfield P: 06 838-6732
Jan 17th		Te Puna Country Pub		John Dalziel P: 07 552-4130
Jan 18th		Gretna Hotel		N Transom P: 06 388-1357

SOUTH ISLAND SPEED SHEARS:

2008

Sept 6th	Omakau Commercial Hotel
Sept 13th	Foggys Bar, Ranfurly
Sept 20th	Kurow Hotel
Sept 27th	South Westland—Fox Glacier Hotel
Oct 9th	Waikouaiti—Golden Fleece Hotel
Oct 10th	Waimate—Royal Hotel
Nov 7th	East Coast Inn—Ward
Nov 8th	Criterion Hotel—Blenheim
Nov 14th	Springfield Hotel
Nov 22nd	Nelson North Country Club
Dec 6th	Waipara Hotel

2009

Jan 9th	Colgate Tavern
Jan 10th	Old Leithfield Hotel
Jan 15th	Waiau Town & Country Club—Tuatapere
Jan 16-17th	Lumsden Hotel
Jan 24th	Little River A&P
Jan 29th	Tapawera Hotel

Feb 7th	Inugahua Arms Hotel—Reefton	
Feb 13th	Otago Shears—Balclutha	
Feb 19th	Longford Tavern—Gore	
Feb 20th	Mataura Marae	
Mar 21st	Hawarden A&P Show	
Apr 4th	West Oxford Hotel	
Apr 5th	South Rakaia Hotel	
Jun 6th	Tinwald Club	
July—Aug	Mid Canterbury Southern Man	TBA

NOTE:

Attention Shearers, these dates are tentative only.

Please contact Kelvyn Scott for confirmation 0274 336-286

CHECKLIST FOR SHEARING & WOOLHANDLING COMMITTEES:

As a quick guide here is a checklist of the people and roles important for a smooth running competition:

- ⇒ Chairman responsible for coordination, program, presentations and gathering together a good team.
- ⇒ Secretary: Entries, results to Doug, cash prizes, judging stationary, judges etc.
- ⇒ Publicity Officer: Doug! Use him, he's great value.
- ⇒ Sheep Steward: responsible for securing the sheep, good preparation and selection for finals. Transport, unloading and loading, and any animal welfare issues.

Committee Checklist....cont

- ⇒ Sheep Steward: responsible for securing the sheep, good preparation and selection for finals. Transport, unloading and loading, and any animal welfare issues.
- ⇒ Pen Steward to ensure enough pen staff for the stock movement of shorn & woolly sheep—works closely with the sheep steward.
- ⇒ Wool Steward: ring the wool examiner for help here—wool containers, wool movers, stop watches. Pressing requirements with fadges, clips etc. A good wool judging area with tables and fadge holders. Press and presser.
- ⇒ Points Person: very important, computer generated results are always the best, but so are accurate manual points people. Copies of points for the finalists are always appreciated.
- ⇒ Presentation Steward: someone who knows what all goes together such as product, cash and ribbons—not an easy job. Nice to have a well laid table and a prepared presentation steward to ensure the presentation goes off well.
- ⇒ Catering: nothing goes well without good food for the hard working crew. This includes cold drinks for those hot days.
- ⇒ Draws Steward: this person will ensure the draws are made in a timely manner and will then attend to the blackboards with names clearly and correctly written.
- ⇒ Commentator: someone to ensure the day moves along and can keep the layperson informed as to what is going on. Also important in keeping our sponsors in front of the people.
- ⇒ Disputes Committee: not often this is needed, but you do need to be aware of who forms the make up of this body (Shearer / Woolhandler Rep).
- ⇒ One last tip, it's always helpful if the committee are conversant with the Directory—90% of the answers are at your fingertips, if not give you Regional Delegate a call, only to pleased to offer support.
- ⇒ **All A-grade Crossbred open shearing shows to run 10 sheep semi-final and other shows to run a minimum of 8 sheep semi-final where practical.**

PROGRAMME TIPS:

A professional image and presentation is important for the survival of our sport. Plan your competition with careful attention to detail so that you start on time and stay on time.

Understand that finals are the finale for the day, they deserve to be in prime time, think about the best timing for these events.

A sponsor who can appear in front of an enthusiastic crowd, will definitely want to be there again next year.

So our hot tips are:

- ⇒ Have a timetable, and be committed to sticking with it.
 - ⇒ Promote your show at preceding shows, especially the start time.
 - ⇒ Organise to have plenty of help.
 - ⇒ It's not your fault if people are late—the late junior shearer will just have to shear in the intermediate class!
 - ⇒ Aim to run the major finals at prime time 3pm-4pm. This is just before people start leaving for home.
 - ⇒ Schedule events to minimize delays.
 - ⇒ Keep the pace 'hot', a good commentator can help this.
 - ⇒ Be just as careful in your planning for the prize giving as for the actual shearing and woolhandling events. A lack of planning at the prize giving can cancel all the good work early on.
- ⇒ **Public Liability** all competitions are urged to check their public liability responsibilities and cover.

SSNZ encourages all show committees to promote their events through the media, if this is an issue, let Doug help you.

Often a good idea to have someone who has this as a dedicated responsibility.

Finally, please remember to get those results to Doug asap, after your competition.

YFC SHEARING & WOOLHANDLING CHAMPIONSHIPS:

Blue Ribbon: For individual shearers

YFC Teams: Teams of 2 shearers & 2 woolhandlers

- * Competitors must be bona fide active members of YFC
- * Qualification heats start at club or district levels early Oct.
- * Open Teams and Blue Ribbon finals held at Golden Shears.
- * For further information contact:

⇒ YFC Head Office 0800-699-346

NATIONAL TITLES:

SHEARING TITLES:

NZ Merino Shears	Alexandra	PW: Joe Paewai
NZ Spring Shears	Waimate	PW: Nathan Stratford
NZ Blades	Christchurch	PW: Peter Race
NZ Corriedale	Christchurch	PW: Tony Coster
National Lamb Shear	Raglan	PW: Dean Ball
Golden Shears	Masterton	PW: John Kirkpatrick
PGG Wrightson National	Masterton	PW: David Fagan
NZ Shearing Champs	Te Kuiti	PW: John Kirkpatrick

WOOLHANDLING:

NZ Merino Shears	Alexandra	PW: Joanne Kumeroa
NZ W/H of the Year	Balclutha	PW: Keryn Herbert
NZ Corriedale	Christchurch	PW: Joanne Kumeroa
Golden Shears	Masterton	PW: Ronnie Goss
NZ Woolhandling Champ	Te Kuiti	PW: Gina Nathan
National Lambs Champs	Raglan	PW: Sheree Alabaster

SSNZ COMPETITOR OF THE YEAR:

This award is for the 'Most Outstanding Sportsperson', and is voted on by competitors. A voting form is on the NZ Shearing Champs entry form.

The donor, Mr Ian Buchanan, will make the presentation at the 2009 NZ Shearing Championships:

Past Winners:

1987	John Fagan	1998	John Kirkpatrick
1988	Bob Michie	1999	Dean Ball
1989	Edsel Forde	2000	Sam Win
1990	Alan MacDonald	2001	Paul Avery
1991	Peter Lyon	2002	John Kirkpatrick
1992	Ian Buchanan	2003	David Fagan
1993	Bill Birdsall	2004	David Fagan
1994	Dig Balme	2005	Paul Avery
1995	Dion Morrell	2006	Dion King
1996	Joanne Kumeroa	2007	Mere Thompson
1997	David Fagan	2008	John Kirkpatrick

PAST GOLDEN SHEARS CHAMPIONS:

1961	Ivan Bowen	1985	Paul Grainger
1962	Bing MacDonald	1986	David Fagan
1963	Brian Waterson	1987	Colin King
1964	Stewart Symon	1988	Colin King
1965	Snow Quinn	1989	Edsel Forde
1966	Bing MacDonald	1990	David Fagan
1967	Snow Quinn	1991	David Fagan
1968	Snow Quinn	1992	David Fagan
1969	George Potae	1993	David Fagan
1970	Snow Quinn	1994	David Fagan
1971	Snow Quinn	1995	David Fagan
1972	Snow Quinn	1996	David Fagan
1973	Eddie Reidy	1997	David Fagan
1974	Norm Blackwell	1998	David Fagan
1975	Norm Blackwell	1999	David Fagan
1976	Tom Brough	2000	David Fagan
1977	Roger Cox	2001	David Fagan
1978	Roger Cox	2002	John Kirkpatrick
1979	Martin Ngataki	2003	David Fagan
1980	Roger Cox	2004	David Fagan
1981	Ivan Rosandich	2005	Paul Avery
1982	Colin King	2006	Dion King
1983	Alan Donaldson	2007	Paul Avery
1984	John Fagan	2008	John Kirkpatrick

BOWEN TROPHY:

Donated by the Godfrey Bowen family in 1994, this magnificent trophy is presented to the highest ranked Open Shearer.

- The trophy is comprised of a bronze statue shearer, mounted onto a wooden frame, the timber taken from the Akers Estate woolshed at Opiki, near Palmerston North. It was at this woolshed that Godfrey set his World record. The trophy has a greenstone backdrop and the words "The Ringer" across the top.

Past Winners:

David Fagan	1994	John Kirkpatrick	2002
David Fagan	1995	David Fagan	2003
David Fagan	1996	David Fagan	2004
David Fagan	1997	David Fagan	2005
David Fagan	1998	Paul Avery	2006
David Fagan	1999	John Kirkpatrick	2007
Paul Avery	2000	John Kirkpatrick	2008
David Fagan	2001		

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TOP RANKED WOOLHANDLER:

A beautiful trophy sponsored by Meat & Wool NZ in 2004.

This trophy was designed and carved by Master Carver Hepi Maxwell. It symbolizes the flightless bird, the Kiwi, renowned for it's strength and character. The trophy is comprised of greenstone and sits a top a carved wooden base.

Past Winners:

Joanne Kumeroa	1995	Joanne Kumeroa	1998
Joanne Kumeroa	1996	Joanne Kumeroa	1999
Joanne Kumeroa	1997	Joanne Kumeroa	2000
Ronnie Goss	2001	Angelique Gage	2005
Joanne Kumeroa	2002	Angelique Gage	2006
Anglique Gage	2003	Joanne Kumeroa	2007
Lisa Fagan	2003	Joel Henare	2008

MASTER MACHINE SHEARERS:

In 1999 the following guidelines were reviewed for determining future Master Shearers:

- That person cannot be current delegate to SSNZ.
- Recommended tallies are 500 for grown ewes, 600 for lambs and 200 for merino wethers.
- Recommended wins = 25 Open competitions, five of which must be first division events.
- *80% majority required in secret ballot at the SSNZ AGM.*

The following list of shearers have been investigated by SSNZ and in the opinion of the Committee should be regarded as true Master Shearers. Each person on this list have been accepted after full discussion as to his/her shearing ability.

W Richards	B Quinn	R Pivac
IV Bowen	G Potae	D Fagan
C Waite	E Reidy	J Hough
WG Bowen	N Blackwell	L Lewis
M Rangiawha	T Brough	P Lyon
I Harrison	R Cox	RB Michie
RB Macdonald	M Ngataki	S Dodds
G Hawkins	D Morrison	E Forde
H Hughes	D Holland	A MacDonald
J Ferguson	I Rosandich	K Walsh
IM McSkimming	J Henson	P Grainger
IL Rutherford	D Wolland	D Forde
S Symon	R Alabaster	P Avery
B Waterson	A Cox	K Wilson
A Williamson	J Dowd	D Morrell

MASTER MACHINE SHEARERS:...cont

M Anderson	J Fagan	D Ball
C Boshier	K Pike	R 'Dig' Balme
M Lawton	S Te Whata	J Kirkpatrick
J Te Kapa	C King	R Sutton
K Johnstone	A Donaldson	

MASTER BLADE SHEARERS:

In 1999 the following guidelines were reviewed for determining future Master Shearers:

- That person cannot be a current delegate to SSNZ
- Tallies must be 200 full wool sheep, 240 full bellied and crutched sheep.
- Must have won six 1st division competitions, one of which must be a NZ title.
- *80% majority required in secret ballot at SSNZ AGM.*

The following list of Master Blade Shearers is fully endorsed by SSNZ.

P Burnett	A Norman	P Rose
P Casserley	R Perry	T Dodds
B Davidson	A Reid	A Macdonald
J Deere	L Richards	N Handley
G Karaitiana	A Roffey	B Michelle
M Marshall	D Hammond	P Race

MASTER WOOLHANDLERS:

In 1991 the following guidelines were adopted for determining a Master Woolhandler:

- That person cannot be a current delegate to SSNZ
- Have won **15** Open competitions, **5** of which must include Balclutha, Alexandra, Waimate, Golden Shears, NZ Shearing Champs, Dvke Wool Champs, Hawkes Bay, NI Circuit, SI Circuit
Must include one fine wool competition, ie, Alexandra, Christchurch or Omarama
- Must have been and Island Representative
- Each nomination to be investigated by SSNZ
- Team events or pressing events are ineligible.
- Only affiliated competition wins are eligible.

G Bell	J Kumeroa	G Nathan
R Davis	O Mason	G Shelford
R McConachie	M Noora	R Goss
M Mullins	P Shelford	A Fleming
D Pringle	H Whyte-Puna	S Lawton
J McKenzie	L Peeti	S Alabaster
A Garvin	T Rimene	

NATIONAL RANKINGS:

TOP 12 OPEN SHEARERS 2007-2008

<i>RANK</i>	<i>NAME</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>	<i>POINTS</i>
1.	John Kirkpatrick	Napier	276
2.	David Fagan	Te Kuiti	235
3.	Dion King	Napier	216
4.	Paul Avery	Stratford	193
5.	Dean Ball	Te Kuiti	130
6.	Nathan Stratford	Invercargill	91
7.	Darin Forde	Winton	86
8.	Gavin Mutch	Whangamomona	77
9.	Grant Smith	Rakaia	74
10.	James Fagan	Te Kuiti	66
11.	Tony Coster	Rakaia	62
12.	Cam Ferguson	Waipawa	56

TOP 12 SENIOR SHEARERS 2007-2008

1.	Tane Henderson	Kaiwaka	134
2.	Toa Henderson	Kaiwaka	122
3.	James Ruki	Te Kuiti	97
4.	Jordan Smeaton	Scotland	97
5.	Peter Jackson	Te Kuiti	81
6.	Richard Millar	Nelson	73
7.	Stafford Chase	Taihape	66
8.	Rob Mainland	Invercargill	62
9.	Corey Salmond	Dunedin	58

TOP 12 SENIOR SHEARERS ...cont

<i>RANK</i>	<i>NAME</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>	<i>POINTS</i>
10.	Nick Pyper	Invercargill	48
11.	Ant Frew	Geraldine	48
12.	Riki Alabaster	Taihape	43

TOP 12 INTERMEDIATE SHEARERS 2007-2008

1.	Ian Kirkpatrick	Gisbourne	197
2.	Mark Grainger	Te Kuiti	183
3.	Aaron Hayes	Feilding	117
4.	Malcolm Sweeney	England	109
5.	David Hape	Dannevirke	94
6.	Shelford Wilcox	Gisbourne	62
7.	Mason Adams	Lumsden	60
8.	Tama Niania	Gisbourne	55
9.	Tom Moorhouse	Piopio	53
10.	Mohi Gray	Dannevirke	49

TOP 12 JUNIOR SHEARERS 2007-2008

1.	Tipene Te Whata	Kaikohe	142
2.	Dane Phillips	Kaiwaka	130
3.	Matene Mason	Masterton	128
4.	Davy Garland	Palmerston North	77
5.	Donald McArthur	Australia	66
6.	Bevan Guy	Kaeo	64
7.	Kerri-Jo Te Huia	Te Kuiti	60
8.	Matthew Hawkins	Te Aute	47

TOP 12 JUNIOR SHEARERS ...cont

<i>RANK</i>	<i>NAME</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>	<i>POINTS</i>
9.	Morgan Lissington	Marton	47
10.	Andrew Rabbidge	Invercargill	47

OPEN BLADE SHEARERS 2007-2008

1.	Bill Michelle	Waimate	40
2.	Peter Race	Fairlie	30
3.	Noel Handley	Rangiora	27
4.	Brian Thomson	Christchurch	26
5.	Shane Casserly	Twizel	20
6.	Allan Gemmell	Rangiora	19

INTERMEDIATE BLADE SHEARERS 2007-2008

1.	Jarrold Bool	Timaru	17
2.	Sheldon Craig	Timaru	14
3.	Justin Perniskie	Timaru	11

OPEN WOOLHANDLERS 2007-2008

<i>RANK</i>	<i>NAME</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>	<i>POINTS</i>
1.	Joel Henare	Gisbourne	137
2.	Joanne Kumeroa	Wanganui	118
3.	Sheree Alabaster	Taihape	106
4.	Ronnie Goss	Kimbolton	90
5.	Keryn Herbert	Te Awamutu	86
6.	Hanatia Tipene	Porangahau	75

OPEN WOOLHANDLERS 2007-2008...cont

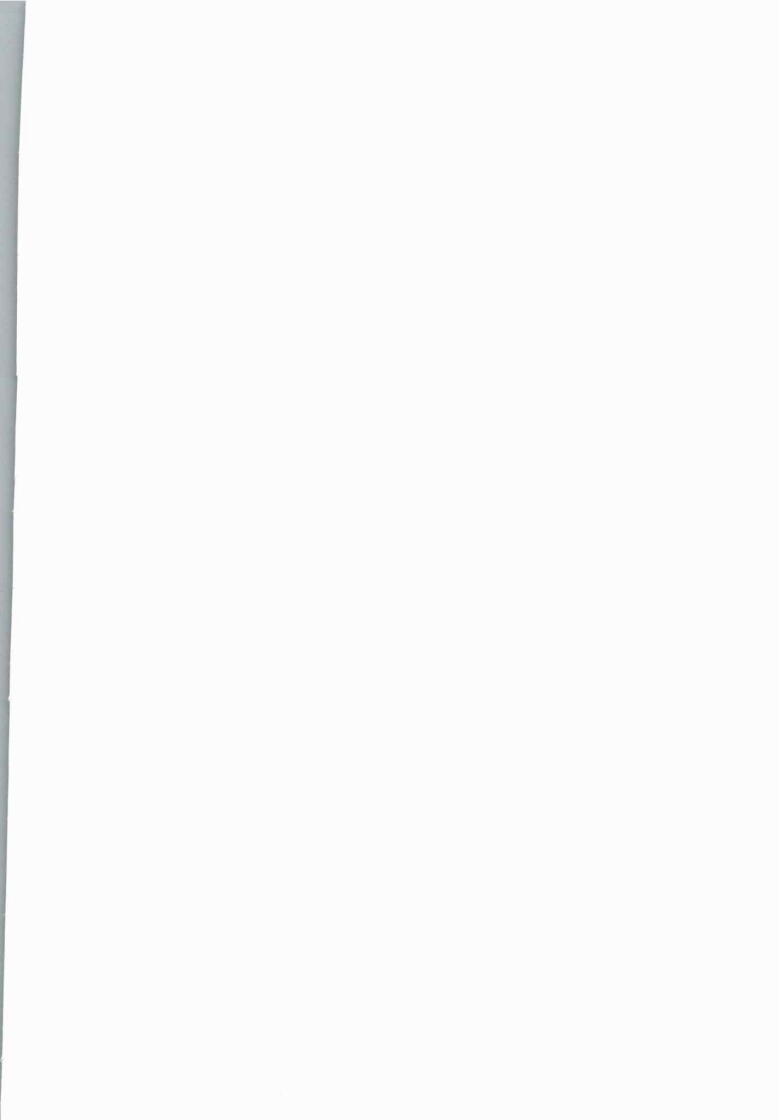
<i>RANK</i>	<i>NAME</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>	<i>POINTS</i>
7.	Angelique Gage	Christchurch	64
8.	Gina Nathan	Alexandra	46
9.	Hayley Holm	Dannevirke	30
10.	Huia Whyte-Puna	Christchurch	28

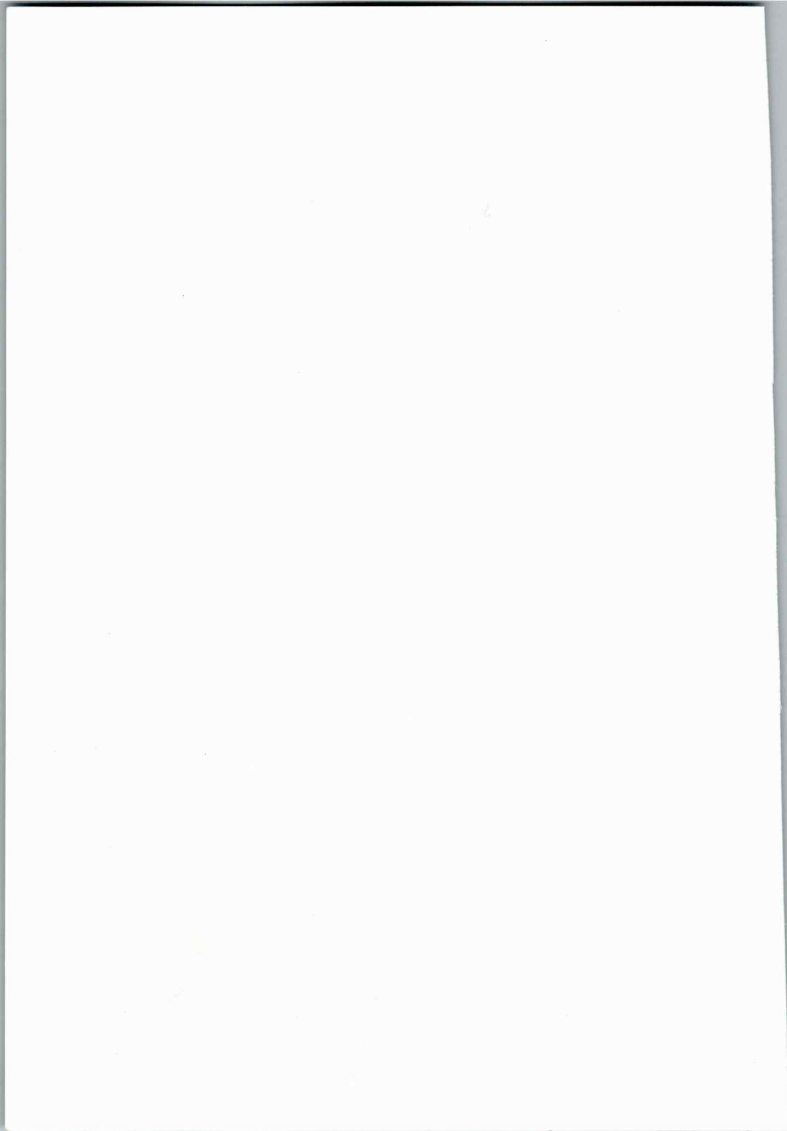
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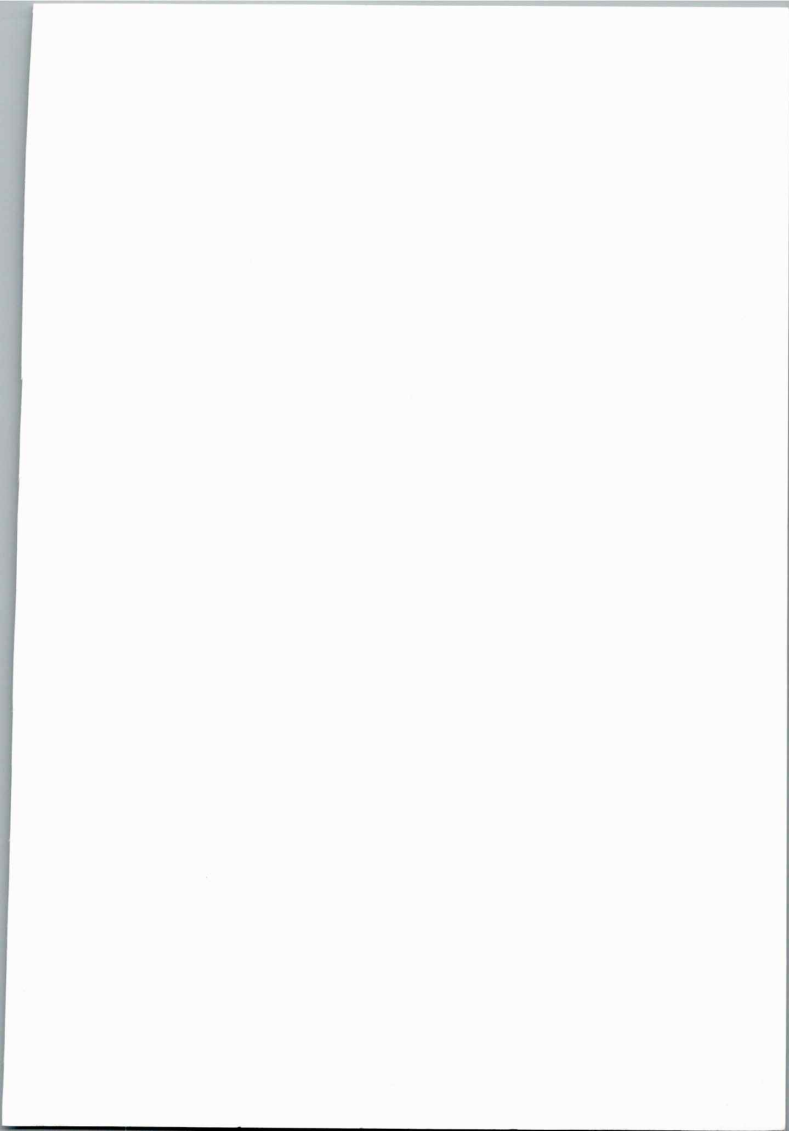
1.	Aria Mullins	Dannevirke	126
2.	Donna Martin	Ngaruawahia	71
3.	Martha Marshall	Ohinewai	70
4.	Jude Kinaston	Rolleston	57
5.	Angela Aldridge	Te Kuiti	57
6.	Candy Hiri	Gore	56

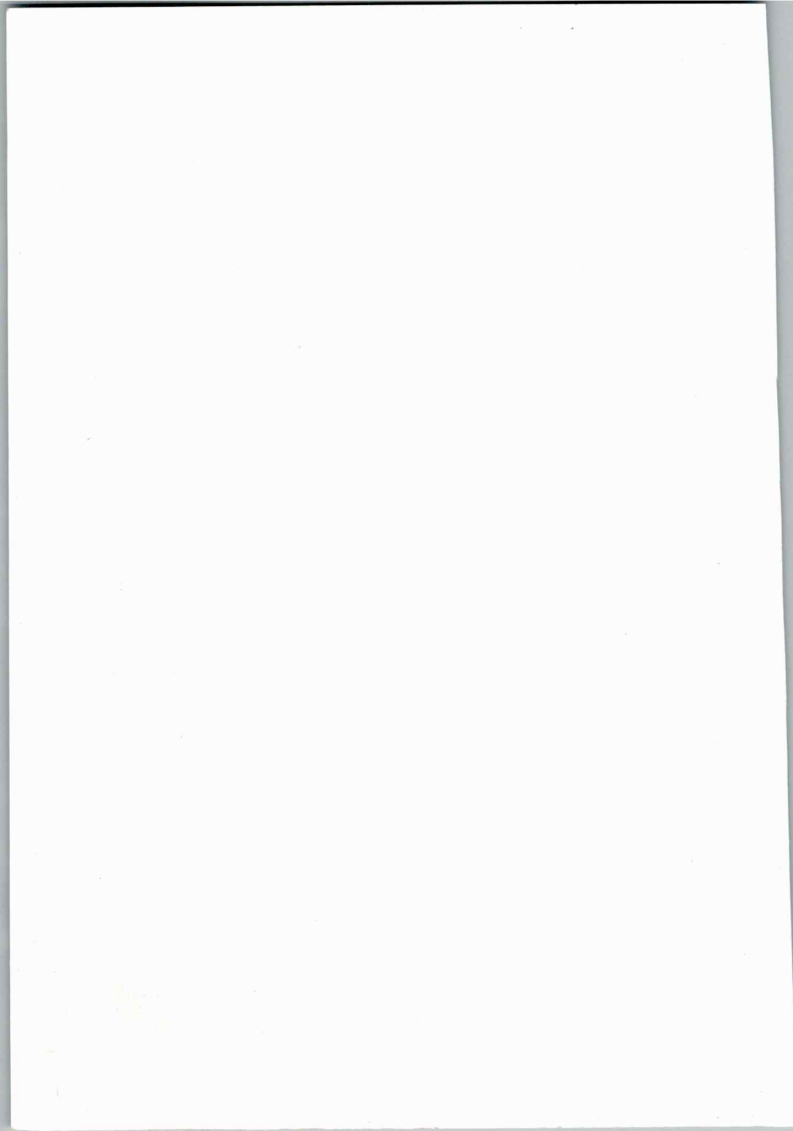
JUNIOR WOOLHANDLERS 2007-2008

1.	Molly Kidd	Gisbourne	77
2.	Victoria Kumeroa	Wanganui	50
3.	Walter Edmonds	Raetihi	45
4.	Jamie McLean	Dannevirke	40
5.	Jayanna Manukau	Dannevirke	36
6.	April Longstaff	Mataura	34









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